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THE POLITICAL CRISIS.

Unionists Tired of Coalition.

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The political tension was acceptuated to-day. Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Balfour privately conferred with Sir George Younger and Mr. Malcolm Fraser, the heads of the Unionist organisation. relative to Mr. Lloyd George's communication which formally called on Mr. Coamberlain to take action to check Unionist indiscipline. Sir George Younger explained that his attitude towards the

Coalition was not personal but that it represented the feeling of local Unionist Associations, which insisted on selecting Independent given full powers to secure a settlement of the strike. Unionist candidates. Twenty Coalition Liberal Ministers, including Mr. Churchill,

attended the Premier's Savoy dinner last night, which was arranged coming down by the afternoon train. at twenty-four hours' notice. Mr. Lloyd George presided at a meeting of the Cabinet in the services of motor-cars and drivers.

afternoon.

A meeting of Unionist Peers and Commoners to-day unanimously passed a resolution emphasising the urgency of the reassertion of Conservative and Unionist principles in order to restore confidence going out to-night. in the country and with a view to the approaching General Election.

#### PRINCE'S VISIT TO KASHMIR.

Lama Dance by Torchlight.

Satwari, March 2. The Prince of Wales arrived at Satwari this morning on a short visit to the Maharaja of Jammu and Kashmir. The original intention to visit the former city was abandoned in consequence of a small outbreak of plague. The Royal camp was pitched seven miles away, merce. That re-assuring news of milk, but to Kowloon not a under the shadow of the grand snow-capped Pir Panjal range.

His Royal Highness was met on arrival by Sir Pratap Singh, than a little pleasure by the Pairy Farm has closed its in employment at the Waterworks Arthur-Smith, and Surgeon Gen-threw cold water on the scheme, members of his family, and officers of State. The customary formal general public. visits were paid and returned in full Durbar splendour in the great Shamiana, hung around within a priceless collection of Kashmir sžawis.

The distribution of sweetmeats to school boys and alms to the this morning in the City Hall at besieged with customers. There will appear in due course before the Netherlands Minister, and three later the Spanish authoripoor much enhanced the popularity of the Prince's visit.

His Royal Highness played polo in the alternoon and attended The whole situation was dis- loon residents that the support we are informed this afternoon. Norris acted as chairman. General that was all the change they ever a State banque: in the evening, after which he witnessed a very custed in comerce and we were might have looked after them at a Tang Shing-cheung, a higher Bramwell Booth's newscass, got out of the canal-proposition. weird and picturesque Lama dance by torchlight, followed by grand officially informed after that a little better Everything seems grade clerk of the Harbour Office. ed from London, says: illuminations and firaworks.—From Reuter's special correspondent special committee had been to be centred on the Hongkong He is said to be the Vice. My warmest thinks to all miles of them (writes a colonial

#### THE EGYPTIAN MINISTRY.

Sarwat Pasha's Hopeful Declaration.

London, March 2. The formation of the Sarwat Pasha Cabinet in Egypt offords leave Canton until this after evidence of the good effect of the British Government's declaration noon's train. of policy. Sarwat Pasha has sent a letter to the Sultan declaring that the real intentions of Britain are now clear and that the situation has completely changed. The Cabinet considers that national aspirations will be satisfied by the immediate declaration of independence and the fact that free and friendly negotiations will be

held later for the discussion of guarantees. The Cabinet will draft the Constitution, with a new electoral law providing for the establishment of ministerial responsibility. Sarwat Pasha announces the creation of a Foreign Ministry declares that he assumes full responsibility for the Administration

#### THE SEARCH FOR INSURANCE CO. DIRECTOR.

and calls upon the nation to maintain peace and concord.

Italian Police Looking for Bevan.

Naples, March 2. The report of the arrest of Bevan, ex-Chairman of the City already being supplied Equitable Insurance Co., is inaccurate.

Bevan has disappeared since he visited the British Consulate to assistance would be gladly obtain a visa to his passport. The Vice-Consul confiscated the received. passport, but omitted to have Bevan shadowed.

The police throughout Italy are actively searching for Bevan whose photograph has been circulated broadcast.

#### RENEWAL OF HOSTILITIES IN THE NEAR EAST. Both Greeks and Turks Active.

Rome, March 2. A message from Constantinople states that both the Greeks and V. M. Grayburn, of the Hongkong has been doing splendid work in the Turks in Asia Minor are showing the greatest military activity, and Shanghai Banking Corpora- keeping the bakery going. evidently with a view to the resumption of hostilities. Turkish tion was in charge of the arrangereconnaissances in the Nazli district were repulsed. Troops and ments and Messrs. W. H. Bird materials are arriving at Smyrna from Greece.

#### NAVAL YACHTS TO BE SOLD.

London, March 2. In the House of Commons, Colonel Amery announced that in had come 462 men had enrolled the interests of economy the Commander-in-Chief's yachts Surprise |- a response which must be very and Alacrity would be paid off and disposed of as soon as practic- gratifying to the authorities.

#### WOMEN. IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

London, March 2. The House of Lords Committee has decided that Peeresses in scared. The intimidators are even their own right are entitled to sit in the Upper House. Twenty-four women are affected by the decision.

#### RUSSIA'S BIG ARMY.

London, March 2. In the House of Commons during question-time, Mr. Harmsworth said the Government understood that the Russian standing Army on January 1st. totalled 1,200,000.

#### LORD CHIEF JUSTICE RESIGNS.

London, March 2, Lord Trevethin has resigned the Lord Chief Justiceship.

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## STRIKE OUTLOOK.

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#### COMMITTEE TO MEET SEAMEN'S DELEGATES.

Fine Response To Government's Appeal To Citizens.

The shipowners met this morning and appointed a special committee to negotiate with the seamen's delegates, the committee being

The seamen's delegates did not arrive this morning: they are

There has been a wonderful response to the police appeal for

The Chinese employed on English and native newspapers are-

strike as it affects the seamen's police station. dispute. As we reported in our later edition yesterday a telegram was received by the Government powers to settle the strike, being of the Canton Chamber of Com-

The delegates from Canton will not be arriving here until tonight, as they were not due to

Plenty of Transport.

We are informed by the Traffic Department that the response for volunteer helpers in connection with transport has been splendid. Many offers of cars and personal services have been made and in consequence a complete system Throughout the city armed motor patrols there are and also armed motor cyclists. Regarding transport there is plenty to be had by anyone in need of same. Cars and trucks are waiting only to be needed. Hospitals and other big institutions are these means. Other offers

#### Volunteer Enrolments.

published yesterday inviting men further enhanced as occasion FOR SMALL WARS ONLY. service in connection with the strike large numbers of business bakers on duly, all the baking this morning between 11 a.m. and | and gaol staff, under the manage-

H. B. L. Dowbiggin, R. Hancock. states that the stocks of flour, United Service Institution there was quite a rush of men. and by the time to close down

#### Office Staffs.

struck. From what one hears, they strike for more wages. have no grievance and do not wish to stop work, but they are getting at Government servants now. The compradores' staffs in European firms seem inclined to remain at work as long as the Chinese staffs of the banks continue.

Protection on the Peak.

To-day it has not been possible | constables were on duty to-day to advance the position of the under the charge of Mount Gough

Kowloon Neglected: accompanied by several members | Paak special arrangements have poned. must have been read with more single loaf of bread is being sent, branch and if customers want Department, have been detained eral Ch'unn. Among these pres and so strongly did they depre-In consequence of that tele- either milk or meat they have to by the Police on a charge of in- ent were their Excellencies, the cate the idea that to seek or make gram a full meeting of Hongkong go to Hongkong and help-over- citing the Chinese office em- American Minister, the British known any new route was shipowners was held at 10 o'clock crowd a central store already ployees to go on strike. They Minister, the French Minister, puni-bable by death. Two cenwhich Mr. Hallifax was present. is a general feeling among Kow. the Magistrate. One of the men, the Norwegian Minister. Bishop ties changed their minds, but appointed to meet the delegates side, and over 3,000 non-Chinese President of the Foreign Firms who have helped rai ing this visitor to a Home paper)—where and had also been given full residents on the Peninsula have Chinese Clerks' Association. memorial to my honoured father, the dwelling-houses are an powers to settle the strike. This been left to make shift as best. The paintscrapers employed at God grant that the work carried teyesore and disgrace, held toge will enable the delegates and the they can. With all the house Taikoo docks have gone on strike, on in this building may perpetual- pher only by the plaster and the servants away on strike it is and it is feared that the trouble ly represent the spirit of service, saint. And the plaster is cracked manifestly impossible for house- will spread to other employees in spirit of love and spirit of sacri- and peeling off, the outside, stape meraing overin Hongkong trying to buy fre-h provisions and then go home to run the domestic side of the house. It has been freely stated that regarding supplies there are plenty for all. Kowloon residents are therefore asking why it has been found impracticable to open a depot in Kowloon. where could be purchased essentials like bread, meat and milk. This is a matter in which the of patrols has been organised. Government should directly interest itself. Many complaints have already reached us from prominent Kowloon residents.

The Bread Suppply.

The arrangements for the providing of bread are being improved every day, and it has now become the regular thing for residents to pay a morning visit to Wiseman's Cafe, where the delivery of bread is being carried out in a most systematic manner. The output has been increased by In response to the notice [50 per cent. and will be still

There are now no Chinese men turned up at the City Hall being done by Europeans, soldiers Lord Horne on the Purpose of I p.m. to enrol themselves. Mr. ment of Mr. U. M. Goodall, who

Canton News.

ten days. Flour has risen to \$12 Camberley. per bag. The Government has wired to Kwangsi and the cost districts along the North River requesting that coal be sent down for the use of the gunboats and the arsenal, as local coal is poor. The office staffs have not yet women weavers have gone on

Shipping.

The number of vessels in harbour to-day is 155, making a total of 250,756 tons.

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#### Money From Singapore.

Our Singapore correspondent Chinese workmen in connection setting as Premier, with the Hongkong strike. They are cagerly watching for the desire to help by direct action for London on the 1st instant. It is believed that large sums of money have been sent to the strikers union.

We are asked to state that the intended visit of the Rugby football team of the Hongkong Football Club to play the Shanghail Rugby Football Club has had to be cancelled owing to the present istrike situation.

#### Sport Affected.

The "boys" belonging to the various sporting Clubs of the Colony have joined in the strike tral Hall, memorial to the years of freedom from Spanish Kowloon residents are very movement, with the result that justly asking why it is that in the Club-houses have been closed here, yesterday afternoon, to the special arrangements which are down. The match between the Peking on the 14th, inst. by Dr. third adventurer in three years to proceeding to Hongkong with full supplies they have been entirely K.C.C. arranged for to-morrow overlooked or neglected. At the has in consequence been post-

#### REGARDING OURSELVES.

The Chinese employees of all newspapers in the Colony have intimated to their employers that they intend ceasing work as from to-night. As the whole of the linetype operators, compositors and machine-men are effected by this decision, great difficulty will henceforth be experienced in publishing.

It will be our endeavour. with the European staff at our disposal;-to produce a sheet giving the outstanding news of each day. There will be no deliveries.

# the British Army.

The exploits of the First Army on September 27, 1918, in crossing the Canal du Nord were the sub-Our Canton correspondent ject of a lecture at the Royal acting as clerks and entering par- sufficient to last about a week or Commandant of the Staff College, assistance to those who fail.

operation, which was carried out that the day will come when all owing to a strike of coolies. under his command, and praising the nations of the world will have Page 4. especially the Cauadian Corps, come into unity, I am clearing Our correspondent adds that said that in the sindy of the my vision and waiting for such Page 4., romen weavers have gone on Great War it was very desirable accomplishments. that they should not lose their sense of perspective. The coniditions of the war in France and Vessels continue to enter and Belgium were abnormal and leave the harbour. The Tak unique, and were never likely to Sang arrived yesterday from occur agair. The British Army Shanghai with 1,600 tons of existed now for small wars, the Shantung Railway is now general cargo, the Hawaii Maru, and it was for the small wars engaging the attention of the Govfrom Tacema, brought a large that we should train, and ernment. General Chin Yungeneral cargo, including herrings, for which our armaments and so peng and Mr. Chow Tzs-chi apflour and steel, and the Atsuta on should be adapted. Let them pear to be the most likely candi-Maru, from Lo don, brought go back to the principles of 1914. dates. General Chin is turning There has been an opinion ex- about 8,000 tons of cargo, com Let them train the Army for his activities in the direction of pressed in some quarters that the prised of dyes, bar steel plate, etc. open warfare in any part of the capitalistic enterprises in Shan-Peak district is left rather un. The Dunera, Harons Maru and world. Let them by all means tung and it is believed that his protected during the day when Van Cloon have cleared for take advantage of the innovations claim to the post will be recogniz-

#### CHINESE NEWS.

MINGLE COPY: 10 CTS

A Peking telegram states that neither Chan Jok-lin's -nor Tratelegraphed yesterday as follows: Kwen's party has shown any concerning the last stages of the All is quiet here among the opposition to Pau Kwei-ching interior decoration at the Royal

that Dr. Wellington Koo has small bays to be filled with decorresult, but there is no known wired stating that he left America ation to balance 24 large frescoss;

views with important persons done about them. The approved whilst on the way to Fengtien. is said that he is ascertaining the some prominent City man in each. Interport Bugby Abandoned, opinions of others on behalf of The first on the list is to be the Sun Yat-sen before the Northern first chairman of Lloyd's. The

#### **NEW SALVATION ARMY** IN PEKING.

Message from the President of China.

Army's tounder, the late General control, had a visit 419 years ago W. W. Yen, the Foreign Minister fly the Spanish flag there. Columand Acting Premier of China. bus seems to have been the first Messages from the President of explorer to see the possibilities of China, Han Shih-chang, and from a canal between the two oceans. General Bramwell Booth in but a Portuguese navigator.

walls salvation and your gates Belvoir " are merely a "ruckle"-

of old bricks and inferior mortar. praise." General William Booth, in his last conversation with his son, and successor, Bramwell Booth. charged to him speedily "unforl the flag of the Salvation Army in China."

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE. The message of the President opening, was as follows:

"The purpose of an Army is Page 12. generally for the protection of a The Benguet Mine is declared nation, but the establishment of to be "the richest gold mine in the Salvation Army is for the pro- the Far East."-Page 4. tecting and saving of very All members of Hongkong country in every continent, no Police Reserve are asked to send matter what their race.

'It is founded on religious be- C.S.P.-Page 4. liefs which very much resemble. A suite of offices are to let in the doctrine of Mo Tzu, which is Chater Road-Page 4. one of Universal Love.

"Since its inauguration by issue a revised time-table on General William Booth, its light Page 4. has increased day by day, and All able-bodied men of nonas many as sixty Chinese Officers | Hall-Page 4. at present in the organization Its future development is really night is showing "In Wrong," beyond estimation. It is the featuring Jack Pickford .- Page same as with everything else in 12. the world, if it does not advance then it must go backwards.

Army with its sincere sentiments are now being sold against cash of love to the whole world, will only.-Page 4. T. Pearce and H. Birkett were coal and cigarettee there are only Major-General W. H. Anderson in their time of need, and be of British Legion will be held in the

"Because I am trusting that Page 4. General Lord, Horne, who pres- the Salvation Army will to accomided, after commenting on the plish this work day by day, and they cannot deliver any goods,

#### THE SHANTUNG RAILWAY DIRECTORATE.

The relection of a Director of the men folk are away at offices Singapore, the Dacre Castle and of science, but what we required ed. although Mr. Chow Tre-chi and women and children left fair. West Keats for Manila, and the for our purpose was the sain—the has a strong and infinential followers of the same o

#### TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

Decision has been made Exchange, and work has begun Another Peking message states accordingly. There are eight and for some considerable time is Wu Chao-Shiu has many inter- was a question what should be It idea is a full-length portrait of expedition be actually launched. second, in all probability, will be a portrait of the first Governor of the Bank of England; and a third may be the first postreeve or mayor, or Lord Mayor of London-but this is not finally decided

Panama, about to issue a stamp The new Salvation Army Con- to commemorate its hundred

tice, which his character and life are parted from the main buildmanifest. May God make your ing; and "Hughenden" and

#### News in To-day's New Advertisements.

To-night the World Theatre is. Han Shih-chang, read at the screening "Riders of Vengeance" an ontdoor story in six parts.--

their names and addresses to the

The Kowloon-Canton Railway

although it was only extended to Chinese nationality are invited our land five year- ago, there are to offer their services at the City

At the Kowloon Theatre to-

The Dairy Farm Company is calling for volunteer helpers, and I expect that the Salvation also tell its customers that godds

City Hall on Tuesday next.-

Watsons advise customers that

Volunteer Orders appear on

Emergency Port Regulations regarding the examination of

versels are given on Page 4. Telegrams received via Eastern will now have to be called for, and certain restrictions have been imposed on despatches. -Sea.

To-Day's Exchange. The closing rate of the dollar.

on demand to-day was 2s. 45/16d. The Weather. 2p.m. Barometer: 19.81 Tem-

perstare: -64 Humidity: -91. Late Balling - Up Time

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DRAWING POWER OF "SHERLOCK HOLMES."

Whilst Sir A. Conen Doyle had a crowded audience on his recent visit to Blackburn, a charity concert in the same hall two evenings later had to be abandoned through the meagre attendance.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTIONS.

London, March 2.

"Citizens Do Your Duty" is the urgent appeal addressed to London's 1,817,000 electors in this morning's editorials in connection with to-day's elections for the London County Council.

Sixteen out of 134 councillors were returned unopposed, namely ifteen Municipal Reformers and one Progressive. There are 251 andidates in the field, comprising 93 Municipal Reformers, 39 Progressives, 97 Labourites and seven Independents. The irst-named have had a majority for the past difteen years.

Special efforts are being made by all parties to induce the women, forming about one half of the electorate, to record a vote. The women candidates number 25. The fight centres on economy, education and municipalisation. The moderates desire drastic economies in schools and elsewhere. The Labourites advocate wholesale municipalisation of means of transit and other industries.

#### THE YAP TREATY.

Washington, March 2.

The debate on the Yap Treaty degenerated into a farce. The Republican Senator France proposed an amendment extending prohibiting to Yap, the object being to kill time and annoy supporters of the Treaty. The amendment was rejected. A Democratic amendment broadening the existing United States Treaty rights over the mandated islands was rejected by 50 to 23, being only one over the necessary two-thirds majority. The narrow margin caused excitement among the Republicans.

Sixty-seven voted for ratification of the Yap Treaty, including thirteen Democrats, and twenty-two against including the three Republicans Borah, France and Johnson, "Senator Lodge then brought forward the Pacific Treaty.

The Senate has, ratified the Yap Treaty without reservations and without amendments.

#### THE POLITICAL CRISIS AT HOME.

London, March 2.

The feeling in parliamentary lobbies is that a first-class political crisis is hardly avoidable. The fortunes and life of the Coalition Government are at stake, declares Mr. Lloyd George's organ, the Chronicle. The Premier's resignation hungs in the balance.

Apparently Mr. Lloyd George first frankly discussed the matter with Mr. Chamberlain, then put the matter in written form in order that a perfectly clear statement might be submitted to the Conservative leaders. The Chronicle says that the Premier therein declared that the present situation could not continue. He felt it best that he should resign. The Unionist leaders conferred and then met Mr. Lloyd George and told him they were prepared to give him the same measure of support as always, Mr. Balfour pointing out the serious consequences of his resignation nationally and internationally and very earnestly urging him to continue at the head of the Coalition. The Premier replied that if the Coalition was to continue the Conservative leaders in the Government must be the actual leaders of the party. Prominent Unionists then met yesterday. The issue is still in the balance. The Telegraph says that well-informed circles are hopeful that the difficulties will be surmounted. The opinion is widespread, however, that the Chaliflen in the country itself has gone to pieces and is past mending.

#### THE IRISH DISAGREEMENT.

In stormy discussions in the Dail Eireann, Mr. Collins heated- Payne, who beat Mitch with a ly complained that the De Veraleraites were breaking the spirit of the Ardfnels agreement and said they might still have to appeal to the people if the agreement were not kept. A

Minister for Defence Mulcahy declared that the Provisional Government had no control over the I.R.A., which, however, had arranged to occupy for the Provisional Government all evacuated military and police posts, giving an assurance that the occupying troops would not interfere with the expression of the people's will at the general election, and not turn their arms against any government elected by the people.

Mr. Mulcahy, referring to the forced levies and seizure of private property in South Tipperary, said there had been indiscipline on the part of certain senior officers, resulting in a portion | ;oals to one. of the forces there not being effectively under Headquarters' control. There was similar indiscipline to a smaller extent in Limerick City. Steps have been taken to right matters.

#### THE SOUTH AFRICAN TROUBLE.

Johannesburg, March 2. Two thousand more police have been drafted to the Reef. The northern suburbs were lighted to-night. The volunteer-manned power station is gradually increasing the supply.

#### THE BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE.

Paris, March 2. Pernotte's request for bail was refused. The magistrate heard the evidence of ten directors of the Banque Industrielle concerning two hundred thousand francs presented to Pernotte in January 1920 by the Board, allegedly at the instance of the President of the Bank himself. Pernotte has appealed to another court.

#### GERMAN REPARATIONS.

Paris. March 1. Germany has just paid the fifth instalment of reparations, amounting to thirty-one million gold marks.

#### CHINESE MINISTER RETURNS.

New York, March 2 H. E. Wellington Koo, the Chinese Minister to London, who has been attending the Washington Conference, has left for London.

#### RUSSIAN RELIEF.

The Hague, March 2. The Chamber has rejected a motion to appropriate one million, guilders for Russian relief. The Minister of the Interior stated that the financial position of the country did not warrant the grant. but the Government was ready to encourage private relief efforts.

#### FRANCO-GREEK INCIDENT.

Athens, March 2. The s.s. Espoir has been released after her cargo was discharged.

#### INDIAN AFFAIRS.

London, March 2. It is believed that important decisions were taken in a four days St. Stephen's .... 3 conference of the Viceroy of India with the Gevernors of Madras Queen's ...... 8 4 and Bombay just ended.

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#### FOOTBALL.

#### Shield Competition. .M.S. Tamar 2: United A.C. 1. St. Stephen's .... 1 5 -

This replay in the Shield Competition took place on Wednesday St. Joseph's .... 8 - - 16 ifternoon en Navy "A" ground. Anglo-Indian .. 7 1 - 14 when the Tamar qualified to enter St. Paul's ..... 5 3 ... he semi-final.

These teams previously met on Salvingpun .... 3 he Club ground and played a Yaumafi ..... 2 5 irawn rame of two goals all. The Ellis Kadoorle .. 1 Inited were without Hopper, his Ying Wa ..... 1 place being taken by Jackson, Queen's ...... 1 6 1 vno played his first game this season. The United played with lash, and took the lead through ong sh.t. This was the only goal before the interval.

Resuming, Grant took up the tentre dorward position, but his lactics led up to his being ordered off the field.

ttacked. Jackson was penalised was severely taxed vesterday after- towards Queen's Road, followed by ! for fouling in the penalty area room, when the preliminary trial of a short European who later proved and the sailors levelled up Leon. Wo, a ship's cook, for the to be Captain David Morgan, of the in the International Bank, stated through Hudson. Hill put the courder of Leong Yuk-tong com- s.s. Kwongying. The European that he had just turned into sailors ahead and they won by two imenced. During the housing two was 30 of 40 feet behind. He

inished on Wednesday afternoon, in. when two exhibition matches. The deceased was Manager of tinued: "I joined in the chase core two all; though on the play Conneight Road Central. 5t. Joseph's deserved a win.

a brief speech in which he referred. Messes Butterfield and Swire. to the great improvement which had established a record by winning all three trophies, Senior, their teams had gone through the season unbeaten, and their Intermediate team had had no goals re- forming a post-mortem examina-

In the unavoidable absence of Sir William Brunyate the trophies the doctor, had a wound at the back and medals were presented by the former Secretary of the League.

with hearty cheers for St. Joseph's column, passing through the right College and for the Hon. Secre- lung and through the main artery that the crack was from a shot life," he and a stoker of the

divisions of the League was as bone. Witness extracted the bullet follows:

#### Senior (Eight Matches.) W. L. D. Pts. artery.

St. Joseph's St. Paul's ..... 5

# Intermediate (Six Matches.)

St. Joseph's .... 6 --St. Paul's ..... 4 2 -Queen's ..... 1 5 Junior (Eight Matches.) W. L. D. Pts.

Wantsai ..... 5

#### THE PRAYA MURDER.

#### Preliminary Hearing · Yesterday.

Playing with ten men the sailors ! Lind-ell's Court at the Magistracy | Bank, and dash up Wardley Street the next hearing. Hongkong Schools' League. Toutside the dock on that, while "Stop him; he has shot a man."

were played at Causeway Bay be- Just A Tai and Con pany, ships and saw the Chinese run into the ween St. Joseph's College (Senior steadores. He was proceeding to lattes of a European at the top of and Juniar) and teams represent. Mesers Butterrield and Swire's the street. The Chinese, who is ng the other schools of the Colony, office in his ricksha sometime the defendant, was struggling with in the first match the Rest beat St. after II a.m. on the 21ths, when he the European and when I arrived. Joseph's Juniors, by 3-2, and the was shot near the pavilion now at the scene I seized defendant's seafor match, which was keenly being built for the reception of left arm." contested, resulted in a draw, H.E.H. the Prince of Wales, in

Mr. G. H. Wakefran, Crown After the matches, which were Solicitor, conducted the preseruplayed before a large crowd of tion. Mr G. K. Hall Brutton de-Hungkong schoolboys, the Hon, femied and Mr D. J. Lewis watch-Secretary, Mr. D. Trafford, made of the case in the interest of

After the Crown Solicitor, had had taken place in school football given in brief outline of the during the past few years. St. ease, Dr A. H. Esler defosed that Joseph's had always been one of elecensed was already dead when the leading school teams, having brought to the Government Civil won the Senior shield no less than Hospital by Dr. Black about noon eight times; and this season they on the 21th Decensed bad'n bullet wound at the back of his right shoulder. He ordered the body to Intermediate and Junior. Two of be removed to the Public Mortuary. He did not examine the body.

Dr. D. J. Valentine, Government tion on deceased at the mortuary on the 25th. The deceased, said of his right shoulder, the bullet entering between the third and The proceedings terminated fourth ribs, close to the spinal The final order in the three enlarged just behind the breast and handed it to a Police Sergeant due to the bullet entering the heart.

# At Close Range.

pass through any bone? the side of the apinal column.

Mr. Brutton: Did you examine 1"Stop him." When half way no W. L. D. Pts. the deceased's clothing?

> Replying in the affirmative, Dr. Valentine said that there were des in two jurkets, a vest and a with the position of the wound.

charred or burned marks?-Yes, on the outer jacket.

distance the shot was fred?-My hands." opinion is that it must have been CETY Close.

overseer in the Public Works Desidialson keep han in view all the partment, produced several plans, time? showing the scene of the murder.

Department, gave evidence to the | Voeux Road. effect that at 11.40 on the 24th, held Examined by the Magistrate. was in a ricksha going eastward in Captain Morgan said he was posinaticed a Chinese in dark clothing was the defendant. The accommodation in Mr. II. E., near the Hongkong and Shanghai to cross-examine the witness until

in Connught Road Central where

An Eye Wifness. front of him. "I heard the crack! "Mr Wakeman: Well, what of a shot, saw the ricksha being bappened? let down and the coolie bolt round | The witness: I don't know. My the far end of the hoarding," said master fell on top of me, and I fell the witness. "I saw a man also. and a small wisp, of smoke rising back to the shop.

Wardley Street I observed two Europeans at the top of the street. I shouted hard and noticed the bigger of the two Europeans. Chinese whistenat, corresponding walk across the street towards the fugitive and extend his hand the Mr. Brutton: Were there any grasp him. When I caught up my quarry was sitting on the ground just round the corner of the Bank with people bending ever him. Mr. Can you say from that at what Pereim was, holding the man's Mr. Wakeman: From the time

you started the chase until you Mr. F. C. Neville, a building found him sitting on the ground Captuin Morgan: Yes, except the

Mr. H. Green, Superintemeent time when he turned into Wardley of the Botanical and Forestry Street and I was crossing Des

iles Voeux Road Central when he tive that the man whom he chased run across the road in front of him Mr. Brutton reserved his right-

The Capture.

Mr. F. R. Pereira (junior), a clerk Wardley Street, on his way to In him constables were stationed raised up his arm and shouted Messrs Butterfield and Swire, when he saw the defendant running up another shoul at the door to Witness turned his ricksha into towards him, followed by a crowd The schools' football season prevent more people from crowling Wardley Street and almost instantly of Chinese who were shouting jumped out. Mr. Tireen con- "Stop him." "I stood back just round the corner of the Bank and 'biffed' defendant as he was rounding the corner," said Mr. Pereira. The witness said he struck the defendant-in-the face, knocking him down in Wardley Street. He caught him and a struggle ensued. During the struggle the defendant Examined by the Magistrate, dragged him into Queen's Road. Mr. Green said that defendant was Mr V. Yvanovich came to his dressed in dark blue or black assistance and subsequently they clothin; and were no hat. He was handed the defendant over to a taken back to the wooden enclosure | Chinese constable and two firemen. Ng Sze, a ricksha coolie employ-

the new Statue Wharf is being ed by Jack A Tai and Company, who was taking the deceased to Messra Butterfield and Swire in Captain Morgan then went into his ricksha when he was shot, was the witness box. He said that at next put into the witness-box. He 11.45 he was walking in Con- proved to be a hopeless witness. naught Hond, Central, near Statue Beyond saying that he heard Square, from West to East. He "Bang" when he reached the noticed a ricksha going in the same | hearding, he could tell nothing to direction about 50 or 60 feet in the Court relating to the murder.

between me and the ricksha. What did you do?-I don't perhaps six or seven feet behind, know what I was doing. I walked

just in front and above the man's Did you see anybody run?-No. head. I saw the occupant of the Fung Chi, assistant coxswain of ricksha fall out. All this happened No. 1 Fireflost, said that when in a flash. It was not cutil I saw be heard the report of a The man behind the ricksha darted firefloat run up the gangway to the actors the road, ran up Wardley prays. He saw a number of men Street, through Statue Square, and running and saw a man being

across Des Veeux Road. I pursued stopped by a "white man." The cause of death was hemorrhage him and was six for seven yards. In reply to the Magistrate, behind when the spitive reached witness said he could not recognise

the north end of tatue Square, the defendant. He usined on mer as I had to Mr Brutton also postponed Mr. Brutton: Did the bullet inegotiate an obstacle near the cross-examining the two Chinese Bunk garden, and I was about 20 witnesses until the next hearing. Dr. Valentine: No. It grazed yards behind when he was cross which will take place this ing Des Youtz Road. I shouted l'afternoon.

THE FLOWER SHOW.

ticultural Society's Show Yester-

day, the prizes were distributed at 5 o'clock by Lady Stubbs,

who was accompanied by His Excellency the Governor, Among

these present were noticed Mr. Justice H. H. J. Gompertz

(the President of the Society), Hon. Mr. Chard Severn C.M.O. and Mrs.

Severn, Sir Robert and Lady Hol

Tung, Rev. Copley Moyle, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bird, Mr. J. A. Plums

mer, Mr. Ho Fook, Mr. Ho Kom-

Australiat, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbig-

gin, Mr. L. Gibbs and many others.

Introducing Lady Stubbs, Mr.

Justice Compertz spoke of the great

strides the show had made during

its existence, and its value to the

native gardener. Last year the weather was not good and this year everything had been against them. It said a good deal

for the perseverance and skill at the exhibitors that such an ex-

cellent exhibition was possible.

Of course Mr. Nichelson was

always to the fore and the old prize winners bad also done very well. The President prophesied that in

another 20 years they would have a show which none of them could

even now imagine. He thanked

Mr. Gibbs for his untiring work as

Hon. Secretary. Mr. Gubbs was

half filled several official positions, Bad he really did not know how

ther would get on without him

distribute the prize, which con-

Prize List.

Section 1.

Services Regreation Club; 2, Mr.

2. Nasturtiums: 1. Hongkong

Hub; 2, U.S.R.C.; Award of

3:-Salvia: 1, K.C.C.: 2, Mr. D

4.-Annuals (excluding Nastur-

mani 1, Mr. H: Kom-tong: 2

Mr. Ho Fook; Award of Merit, Sir

5.—Annuals (not included

6 .- Arums: 1, Mrs. Jordan;

7.—Andirhinum: 1, Mr. Ho

S .- Begonias: 1, Mr. Ho Kom-

9.-Double Geraniums: t. Mr.

Mr. Ho Fook: 2, Lad, Ho Tunz.

Chater: 2, Hongkong Club.

tong: 2; Mr. D. G. M. Bernard.

G. M. Shaw: 2. Sir Paul Chater.

G. M. Bernard: Award of Merit,

Merit, Kowloon Cricket Club.

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at the complision of the ceremony Mr. G. M. Shaw. was presented by the President Co.-Primula: 1, Lady Ho Tung: except Peak Gardens and Chinese with a charmony body part of theres Award of Merit, Mr. Ho Kom-tong, Market Gardeners. 37.-Tropæolum Canariensie: Award of Merit, Mr. G. M. Shaw. I. Hongkong Club; 2, Mr. Ho Kom-38.-Annuals, Perennials and tong. Plants in Pots. Open to all any plants: I. Lady Ho Tung; 2.

#### except Peak Gardens and Chinese Mr. Ho Kom-tong. Section 2.

Class I.-Marguerites: 1, United Plants in Pots.-Peak Gardens

39.-Marguerites: 1, Mr. H. B L. Dowbiggin; 2, Mrs. A. Murdoch. 40 .- Nasturtiums (tall varie- Mr. Ho Kom-tong. ties): 1, Mrs. F. C. Hall; 2, Mrs.

41.—Salvia: I. Mr. T. E. Pearce; Club. 2. Mr. L. Yates. 42.-Annuals (excluding, Nas-tong,

turtiums): I. Mr. T. E. Pearce; 2. Mrs. H. W. B.rd. . 40.-Annuals (not included in mard. above): 1. Mr. Ho Kom-tong: 2. Fersyth. abover: 1. Mr. L. Yates: 2, Dr.

2; 44.—Arums: 1, Mr. H. B. I Dowblegin: 2. Sir Ribert Ho Tung. 45 .- Antirrhinum: 1, Sir Robert Kom-ting: 2, Hongkong Club;

46.-Begonias: 1, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin: 2, Mr. J. A. Plummer 47 .- Cactus and Peony Dahlla: 48.-Dahlia other than Cactus

or Peopy: No award. 10.-Single Geraniums: 1, Mr. 1 49.-Heliotrope: 1, Mr. L. D. G. M. Bernard; 2, Sir. Paul Yates; 2. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. 56,-Double Geraniums: 1, Mr. Chater; 2, Hongkong Club. 11.-Ivy-leaved Geraiffums: 1, " Yates; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbig-

12 .- Cactus and Peony Dahlias: 1817. 51 .- Single Geraniums: 1, Sir Robert Ho Tung.

13.-Dahlius, ther than Cactus 52.-Ivy-leaved Geraniums: No or Peopy: 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2. 53.-Petunias: Mr. L. Yates. 14.-Helistrope: 1, Sir Paul

5-1.-Linaria: Mr. N. L. Wat- 2, Lady Ho Tung. 15 .- Petunias: 1, Mr. Ho Kom-55.—Clarkia: No award.

55 .- Sweet Peas: No award. 16.-Verbena: 1, Mr. Ho Komting; 2, K.C.C. 17.—Linaria (tall varieties): doch: 2, Mrs. F. C. Hall. 58.-Larkspurs: 1, Mr. N. L. . Mr. Ho Fook.

18.—Clarkia: Award of Merit. Watson; 2, Mr. J. A. Plummer. 59.—Phlox Drummindii: 1, Mrs. only. Mr. Ho Kom-tong. 19 .- Sweet Peas: Award of F. C. Hall; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dow-Merit, Mr. Ho Kom-tong.

No award.

60.—Freesia, white or lemon Plummer. 20.-Larkspurs: 1. Sir Paul Chater: 2. Ladies' Recreation coloured: 1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2. Mr. J. A. Plummer. 61.-Nasturtiums (dwarf varie-21 .- Freesia, white or lemon

coloured: 1, Mrs. Jordan; 2, Mr. ties): I. Mr. L. Yates. Ho Kom-tong. 22.—Phlox Drummondii: 1. Hongkong Club; 2, K.C.C.

23.—Roses: 1, Mr. D. G. M. liam): 1, Mr. T. E. Pearce; 2, Mrs. Beavis. F. C. Hall. Bernard. 24.-Dianthus, excluding Carnation, Picotee and Sweet William: tees: I. Mr. T. E. Pearce. I, Mrs. Chea; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

25.—Carnations and Picotees: T. E. Pearce. Chater: Award of Merit, Mrs. Hair and Asparagus Plumosus): Tung. 26.-Maiden Hair Ferns: 1, 67.-Asparagus Plumosus: No H. B. L. Dowbiggin.

Lady". Ho Tung; 2, Miss M. award. Loureiro. 27 .- Ferns, excluding Maiden Merit, Mr. N. L. Watson.

Sir Paul Chater. 23.—Asparagus Plumosus: 1, biggin. Mrs. Jordan. 🗼

Kom-tong. 30.-French Marigolds: 1, Mr. 71.-Violets: 1, Mrs. H. W. Ho Kom-tong; 2, Sir Paul Chater, Bird; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung. 31.-Nasturtium (dwarf varie- 72.-Cinerarias; No award. ties): 1, Mr. Ho Kom-tong; 2, Mr. 73.—Stocks: 1, Mr. J. A. Plum- Ho Tung; 2, Mrs. H. W. Bird.

D. G. M. Bernard. 32.—Pansies and Violas: 1, Mr. 74.—Primula: No award. D. G. M. Bernard; 2, Lady Ho 75.—Tropædium Canariensie: 115.—Beets: 1, Matilda Hos- 126.—Roses any Colour: 1, Mr.

76.-Annuals, Perennials or any

77.—Collection of Vegetables:

75 .- Cabbages: Award of Merit, Hangkong Club.

79.—Savoy Cabbages: 1, Lady Ho Tung: 2, Sir Paul Chater. So .- Canlificwers or Broccoli: l, K.C.C.; 2, Mr. D. G. M. Bernard.

ties): 1, Mr. D. G. M. Bernard; 2, 82.—Lettuces (cos varieties):

i. Mr. Ho Kom-tong; 2, Hongkong 83 .- Endive: 1, Mr. Ho Kom-

84.—Brussels Sprouts: 1, Hongkong Club; 2, Mr. D. G. M. Ber-

tong: 2. Hongkong Club. Chater: 2, Hongkong Club.

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89 .- Onions: 1, Lady Ho Tung. 90 .- Leeks: 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2. Lady Ho Tung. 91.-Potatoes: 1, Lady Ho

Tung; 2, Mr. Ho Kom-tong. 92.—Radishes: I, Sir Paul 93.—Beets: 1, K.C.C.; 2, Hong-

kong Club. 2. Lady Ho Tung.

tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung. 96.—Peas: 1. Mr. Ho Kom-tong; 97.-French Beans: 1, Hong-

king Club; 2, Mr. Ho Kom-tong. 93.—Vegetable Marrows: 57 .- Verbena: I, Mrs. A. Mur- Hongkong Club; Award of Merit Mr. Ho Kom-tong.

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Parade at Volunteer Head- | be n ed. quarters on Monday, 6th March. "at 5.30 p.m.

Dress: Drill Order. 7. Promotion.

No. 80 Private H. Green, No. 2. Platoon (Infantry Company) is promoted to the rank of Cor- to steamships over 60 tons, but I poral, with effect from this date. 8. Reversion.

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E. D. C. WOLFE, Captain Superintendent of Police. Hongkong, 2nd, March, 1922.

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& HARSTON, Hongkong, 2nd, Feb., 1922.

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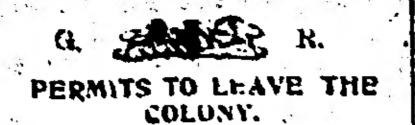
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WATRICULATION & SENIOR LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

the above examinations will province. . . . thereafter he b. commence on MONDAY, June lieved other provinces would

regulations and syllabus can be by invitation. . . " Mr. Gil obtained on application to the bert, apparently, has not rea Registrar.

in must reach the REGISTRAR Canton m the interest ogether with the fee of \$15, secession, a policy of sacre-Hongkong currency, on or before egoism" would have been intel March 11th. 1922. N. TEESDALE MACKINTOSH

Registrar.



CHEN CHIUNG MING AND WU PUI-FOO.

#### Mr. Eugene Chen's Exposition.

Replying to an article by Mr. Rodney Gilbert, the Peking correspondent of the N. C. Daily News, Mr. Eugene Chen says in

Mr. Gilbert writes in disil-

lusicoment of the figure to whom he looked for the fresh inspiration and energy which might speed China in the direction of a securer order of public life. If the usual fate of the political southsayer has now overtaken him. it is due, I think, to the lack of balance and objectivity in his critical treatment of the issues of the day. He has hitherto emphasized the purely personal elsment in our national politics !! rather than the impersonal factor of democratic doctrine which the Revolutionary transaction of 1911 Owing to the abnormal confi- has added to Chinese political tions prevailing, the following thought. And it is not a little arrangements have been necessions that this error should trap one who, like Mr. Gilbert, Between the hours of 9 a.m has never failed to pillory our 2 and 5 p.m., Government. Press public men for their alleged atand Urgent messages will be tachment to persons in preference to principles or causes.

Rovernment messages will b- Mr. Gilbert's extravagant eloges of Wu Pui-foo and his prose sagas Telegrams will have to be on the exploits of the little man" called for, as we are unable to come instantly to my mind as I write this comment on his gloomy review of the present situation. As l glance over his lyrical efforts, now preserved in my scrap book. I realize the deep lying identity of East and West when it comes in to hero-worship as well as the bad psychology of the antinomy which chains the American or European to principles and the Chinese merely to persons. To pursue this thought, however, may lure one to dark depths of the mind, l leave it for Mr. Gilbert to explore in the quiet of the clos-t

> GENERAL CHEN CHIUNG-MING. I must correct the view of Genral Chen Chiung ming which emerges from Mr. Gilbert's reference to the Cantonese leader. It is neither fair nor accurate to group Chen Chiung-ming and Wu Pui-foo in the same category While I have no wish to criticize the latter at this moment (he may vet follow others who are now convinced that national re-unification : is only possible through Canton). it must be pointed out that General Chen is a loyal member of the l Canton Movement " whose car-) dinal doctrine is the regeneration of China through and by the cooperation of the Chinese people as a whole under efficient national leadership. And this principle of the nation's reconstruction, we hold, can be worked out only under a republican or democratic system of government. General Chen shares President Sun's view of the past 10 years. It has been a decade of failure; and the low state of the country to-day is evidence of the impossibility of reconstructing China by or under any system of non-democratic covernment, whether in the form of a strong man ruling like Yua-Shih-kai or of a wise mandarin misruling like Hsu Shih chang. a typical product of the Manchu-Chinese bureaucracy that ran

China in pre-revolutionary days. POLITICAL FABIANISM Mr. Gilbert seems to suggest UNIVERSITY OF HONOKONG. that General Chen is guilty of backsliding and is now false to the " high ideals " which animated him a year ago. The Genera 'wanted to concentrate to NOTICE is hereby given that Kwangtung and make it a model profit by Kwangtung's example FORMS of entry and copies of and a federation could be formed our reply to this contention. EACH entry torm duly filed repeat it here. If we had gone t

ligible and even logical. might settle down at Canton and in the decision of his Chief and which can never be re-captured. plan out a programme of wor covering the next 50 years numoved by the daily descent of China toward the pit of ruin which is being dug by Mandarin mis-government at Peking. And THE CONDITION OF KWANGSI. sible in the case of men inspired of Kwangsi. His remarks do THE WRONG WAY TO READ. even if this callousness was posby great love of the soil, a very General Chen less than justice. If you have to hold the print slight knowledge of political psychology would make us doubt the his Government's policy of pro- eyes will be strained to make out possibility of Tuchun-ridden pro- vincial self-government. That the fine print. If you have tovinces volu, tarily adhering to the noticy is in operation in hold the print too close that will Canton system with its negation Kwangtung. And when the strain the muscles of the eyes. of the Tuchunate. No. considers pediency bid ne reject this Chen unhesitatingly applied it to proper distance, say 14 inches policy of political Fabianism.

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differs from the latter, he ex- by the force of his soldiery.

Mr. Gilbert refers to the state The latter is a firm support rof too far away to see clearly, the . test of Kwangsi came, both Either way is bad. When you tions alike of principle and ex- President Sun and General cannot read any fine type hold at the prevince, whose reactionary from your eyes, have your eyes leaders had once more planned to examined int the Hongkong overrun Kwangtung and re- Optical Co., successors to Clark And even if General Chen had impose a fresh occupation on the & Co., refracting to manufacturnot been convinced that the Cantonese people. Smaller men ing opticians, located in 53, changed circumstances of to-day might have succumbed. But the Queen's Road Central, and have demanded acceptance of this men'of the Canton Movement are | the satisfaction of using a pair of realiste view of the situation, rooted in principle; and they right seeing and right fitting loyalty alone to the great cause practise what they preach. Con- glasses

hat he is serving would counsel trast, again, Wu Pui-foo in Hupeh. him to yield and support his For over a year he had preached Government. I ask Mr. Gilbert provincial self-government. The to note this carefully, because he test of Hupeh came to him. What s chiefly responsible for the did he do? He destroyed in false view expressed in the battle the provincial leaderforeign press regarding General ship which is sisted on self-Chen's relation to the Central rule for Hupeh. He imposed Government whose chief execu- his agent and rool, Hsiao Yaoive is President Sun Yat-sen, nan, as tuchun on the province Chen Chiung-ming is a serrant, a against the will of the Hupeh good and loyal servant, of his people; and be continues to Government. When and if he upholdthat creature at Wuchang

presses his views and endeavours! I do not touch on other savage to secure their adoption: but he things done in Hupch. They have is and has always been ready to cost Wu Pui-foo the loss of a acquiesce, as a good party man, national prestige and popularity the majority. Contrast the at- And these things will go down in titude and action of Wn Pui-foo our history, as similar acts of with respect to the "Central other men in other days have Government " at Poking. | come down to us, a warning and a lesson.

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#### GENERAL NEWS

BAND TOWNRAGE IN YUNNAN. from Yunnanfu stating that two power Marconi wireless station be overcarried and landed at British missionaries, Mr and Mrs. at that point, will proceed to Shanghai and/or at Kobe. Con-Hudson-Taylor of the China In- Kashgar for similar construction signess are therefore recommendland Mission, were carried off by work. The last word received ed to make the necessary Fu Heiso-hung, a bandit leader previously from Major Dockray arrangements respecting Insuroperating to the north of Yunnan- was sent from Kanchoukau (Kan- ance, etc. accordingly. The cargo fu, while travelling from Kutsing. su) on New Year's Day, when he will bereturned to Hongkong Mrs. Hudson-Taylor was later February 20. He arrived there port become normal. released and had arrived in on the 15th. five days ahead of Yannanio.

from Tihuafu (Sinkiang) an- tion material, is long overque.

incunces the arrival of Major S. T. Dockray, Supervising Engineer are hereby notified that owing of the Ministry of Communica- to the strike of cargo and wharf A message has reached Peking tions, who, after erecting a high coolies, cargo for Hongkong will later telegram reports that anticipated reaching Tibusia on immediately conditions at this of his schedule. The report says WIRELESS STATIONS IN CHINA. | that he is well but that his came! A telegram received in Peking caravan, transporting construc-

#### CONSIGNEES.

#### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Consiguees of cargo for Hongkong per s.s. "Tracia" are hereby notified that owing to the present state of affairs in Hongkong due to the strike of seamon, etc., cargo for Hongkong has been carried on in the vessel and if not discharged at Shanghai will be retained on board until her return to Hongkong. Probable ports of call are Shanghai, Yokohama and Dalny.

Consignees are recommended to make the necessary arrangements as to Insurance, etc.

DODWELL & CO. LTD. Agents. Hongkong, 24th. February, 1922

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

#### From NEW YORK etc. THE STEAMSHIP "DACRE CASTLE"

Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that this steamer has arrived and is now ready to discharge. Consignees are requested to take delivery from alongside in accordance with the terms of Bills of Ladings

Optional Cargo will be forward- landed at that port. ed unless notice to the contrary be given before 24th. instant. All claims against the steamer

must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 12th. prox , discharge. or they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agenta

Hongkong, 24th, February, 1923.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

#### S.S. "SILVER STATE."

The Consignees of cargo ex this Will leave for above ports steamer are hereby notified that owing to their failure to take delivery of cargo at ship's tackles in accordance with the Bill of Lading stipulations that we shall From PUGET SOUND PORTS. endeavour to discharge to lighter and land the cargo.

> the cargo will be done at the risk strike of cargo and wharf coolies, of the consignees who will also the steamer will not call at Hongbe held liable for the excess'ex- kong and cargo on board for penses incidental thereto. No Hongkong will be landed Claims will be recognised after Shanghai. Consignees are therethe goods have left the Godowns fore recommended to make the and none will be entertained if necessary arrangements respectpresented later than two weeks ing insurance etc., accordingly. after the cargo is landed.

will be effected. UNITED STATES SHIPPING | normal. BOARD EMERGENCY FLEET

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Agents. Hongkong, February 25th: 1922.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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From CALCUTTA & STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo for Hongkong per

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Friday, 20th. February, 1922.

CONSIGNEES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Due and March. From EUROPE via STRAITS. CONSIGNEES OF CARGO FOR HONGKONG PER

S. S. "ATSUTA MARU" Are hereby notified that owing discharge. to the strike of Cargo and Consignees are requested to Wharf Coolies, cargo for Hong- take delivery from alongside in kong will be carried on to accordance with the terms of Shanghai and landed at that port. Bills of Lading. Consignees are therefore recom- All claims against the steamer mended to make the necessary must be presented to the underarrangements respecting insur- signed on or before the 15th. prov. ance etc accordingly. The car o or they will not be recognised. will be returned to Hongkong Bills of Lading will be counimmediately conditions at this tersioned by port become normal.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agenta Hongkong, 25th. Feb., 1922.

#### THE EAST ASIATIC CO. LTD. COPENHAGEN.

Consignees of Cargo for Hongkoog per M.S. "TONGKING" are hereby notified that owing to the strike of cargo and wharf coolies cargo for Hongkong wiff be carried on to Shanghai and

ed to Bill of Lading Clause 10 landed there. according to which ships re-

Consignees are therefore re- Insurance etc. commended to make the necessary arrangements respecting Hongkong immedia ely condiinsurance etc. accordingly.

MANNERS & BACKHOUSE, LTD. Agents,

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Hongkong, 1st. March, 1922.

NIPPON YUSEN RAISHA.

S.S. "KASHIMA MARU."

Due at SHANGHAI on 6th inst. Consignees of cargo for Hongkong per the above steamer are

The Lightering and Landing of bereby notified that owing to the The cargo will be brought on to No Fire Insurance whatever Hongkong immediately conditions at this port become

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agents.

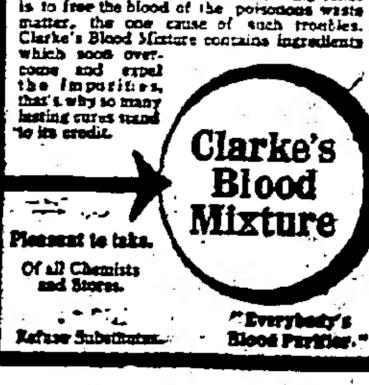
Hongkong, 2nd. March, 1922.

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Amalgamation of the Queen's Westminster Rifles and the Civil Service Rifles has been completed. is expected to arrive at this port No award.

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Agnets. Horgk og. 27th. Feb., 1922.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT.

Consignees are therefore responsibility ceases at port of commended to make the neces-

The cargo will be returned to

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.

Consignees of cargo for Hong-

are hereby notified that owing to the Strike of Cargo and Wharf coolies, cargo for Hongkong has been discharged at Shanghai and will be held there at con-

as practicable. Consignees are therefore recommended to make the neces-

THE BARBER STEAMSHIP LINES INC.

Agents. Hongkong, 28th. Feb., 1922.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA

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on the 5th. instant, from Europe via ports. This steamer stranded off Antwerp on her voyage from Rotterdam and Hamburg and salvage was made in consequence

been declared. Consignees of cargoes from

General Average will be ad. ing Narcisus Tazetta): No award. Tung. iasted by Mesers. William Elmslie and Sons of Lloyd's, tong; 2, Mr. Ho Fock. Printed forms of the above documents are obtainable at this

Y. YASUDA,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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informed that this steamer has arrived and is now ready to

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"GLEN "L'NE, LTD.

M.V. "GLENARIFFE"

Owing to the strike of seamen Consignees are hereby notified that Hongkong cargo will be Consignees' attention is direct- carried on to Shanghai and

sary arrangements respecting

tions have become settled.

Agents. Hongkong, 28th. February, 1922.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

kong per S.S. "SATSUMA"

signees' risk and expense, to be forwarded to Hongkong as soon

sary arrangements respecting Insurance etc.

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#### THE FLOWER SHOW.

(Continued From Page 3.)

133.-White or Yellow Roses: 1, Mr. T. E. Pearce. 139.—Roses any colours 1, Mr. T. E. Pearce; 2, Mr. L. Yates. 140.—Carnations and Picotees: Award of Merit, Mr. T. P. Pearce

141.-Cactus and Peony Dahlias: No award. 142.—Dahlias other than Cactus

or Peony: No award. 143.-Mignonette: 1, Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung. 3, Mrs. H. W. Bird. "

145.—Pansies: 1, Mr. J. A.

Plummer; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dow-146 .- Violets: 1, Mrs. H. W. Bird; 2, Matilda Hospital.

Section 7. General Exhibits-Open to all. 147.-Ladies' Flower sprays

and Gentlemen's Button Holes: No award. 143.—Cut Roses: 1, Mr. R. A. Nicholson; 2, Mr. T. E. Pearce. 149.—Cut Flowers (decorative effect): 1, Mrs. H. W. Bird.

150.—Basket of Cut Flowers for children between the ages of 11 and 15: No award. 151.—Basket of Cut Flowers for children aged 10 years and under:

152.—Table Decoration: 1 Misses Joyce and Betty Ram; 2 Mrs. H. W. Bird." "153 .- Display of Cut Flowers grown by exhibitor: Award of

Merit, Mr. R. A. Nicholson. 154.—Cyclamen: No award. 155 .- Single Daffodils: 156.-Druble Daffodils: No

157.-Hyacinths: 1. Miss 158.-Narcisus (excluding Narcisus Tazetta): No award. 159. Group of Bulbs (exclud-

160.—Annuals: 1, Mr. Ho Kom-161 .- Flowering plants: Award of Merit, Mr. N. L. Nicholson. 162.—Annuals and flowering ]

plants of any kind open to Re-! Pearce.

#### EARLIER SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) A TRIAD SOCIETY.

Singapore, March 2. Twenty six Chinese were arrested while attending a meeting of a secret society. The Secretary for Chinese Affairs stated that during the past five months there have been a number of serious affrays in the Colony, and owing to information obtained he learned of this 141.—Nasturtium: 1, Mr. L. meeting. This Tried Society be Yates; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; believed to be a serious menace to the peace of the Colony.

#### SUN'S EXPEDITION. MOVES.

Canton, March 2. According to latest news from Kweilin, the expedition against the North organised by Dr. Sun Yatsen is moving to the frontier. The oath of allegiance was administered to the Seventh regiment of Kwongtung troops by President Sun, the Generalissimo, February 27.

## STRAITS VOLUNTEERS.

Singapore, March 2. The Straits Volunteers now

menced in earnest. No sidents of Coast and West River

number, 1,840. Drills have com-

Ports: No award. Challenge Cups.

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# The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1922.

#### THE PREMIER'S RETORT.

Mr. Lloyd George, with the mixed political elements tries criticised this department; which constitute the "Coalition, is evidently finding it a in its early days, but the Federadifficult and somewhat thankless task to keep his followers tion now says that the departin order. He has been forced to complain of language and ment has largely come into line in order. He has been forced to complain of language and with the requirements desiderat-tactics used by Coalition Conservatives for the purpose of ed. Apart from this, the recomhumiliating him as leader of the Government. This is a mendation is astonishing, for it somewhat new phase of the political situation at Home, surely cannot be questioned that but it is not altogether unexpected. That there has been a we must have an institution to rift in the lute has been apparent for some time, but the perform the function allotted to differences which have sprung up are now developing into Trade, so that the cost must be more or less open warfare against the Premier. Mr. incurred. There is, however, no Chamberlain and Lord Birkenhead, two of the most prom- mention of any alternative deivent Unionist members of the Cabinet, have assured the partment being suggested by the Prime Minister of the loyalty of the Coalition Unionists. Committee. Do its members, who but, notwithstanding this. Sir George Younger, the head business men, mean that overseas of the Unionist Party and himself a Coalitionist, has been trade is to look after itself? As making himself obnexious to Liberal members of the Gov- a compromise the Government ernment and to Mr. Lloyd George in particular. The has decided to retain the Depart-Prime Minister has now retorted making it clear that a ment, but to halve the expendicontinuance of this attitude will result in his resignation. the inadequacy of Britain's Thus has a political sensation of the first order developed. | commercial intelligence service

dependents criticising the Premier. For long, Mr. Lloyd upon, savours of cheeseparing. George has been subject to abuse and criticism both from from a ten-figure Budget by the Liberal. Wee Frees and the Unionist "Die-hards." cutting down a service of the first But to that he does not object. Indeed, he could not importance is farthing wise, very well do so, for it is the common lot of public men pounds fatuous. to be railed at by their confessed opponents. What the The Amoy Trouble. Premier resents, and rightly too, is criticism from After a period of obstinacy the within, from the men who are pledged to support Chinese have surrendered over hinr. By general consent of the Coalitionists, Mr. Lloyd the Amoy affair, Messrs. George is the head of the Government, and as long as he is Butterfield and Swire having in that position he has a right to expect support from all has been completely removed. are men in the Coalition ranks who object to the policy success for firmness. No serious to the Government, they have their remedy near at hand—attempt was made to controvert were going to have their return match and the local to the policy of the Government, they have their remedy near at hand—attempt was made to controvert were going to have their return match and the local to the policy success for firmness. No serious were going to have their return match and the local total ecupse of the sun on September 21, 1922.

At Sookunpoo, the King's larger bonus but the reason we tember 21, 1922.

Looks as if the dogs of war Reserves and South China "A" do not recommend this is that. Several astronomers from Lick plants are the controvert were going to have their return match and the local total ecupse of the sun on September 21, 1922. of they can join forces with the "Independents" and seek by Messrs. Butterfield and Swire's Growned.—Chicago Journal of soldiers should win and streng. constitutional means the overthrow of the administration. but sundry objections were About all But to remain within the Government and at the same time to be indulging in intrigue against its head is neither the work, and a band of injured only slightly.—Ohio State | with Kowloop Reserved of Dividend Account, there will Campbell, director of the observed

available for our bailding operations would not be so anxious to enter war if it was campaign against the Prime Minister is the inability of the Government to secure a reduction of the Income Tax.

That is a burning question at Home inst now, for both Chinese authorities. The instance a national distance a national distance and the parameters would not be so anxious to enter war if it was football Association will be require about double that amount servatory, will leave here on held at Victoria Barracks on before they are finished. The March 31 for Anatomica and the parameters would not be so anxious to enter war if it was football Association will be require about double that amount servatory, will leave here on held at Victoria Barracks on before they are finished. The March 31 for Anatomica and the Chinese anxious to enter war if it was football assistant astronomer at the Object of ill-founded or one-sided allegation.

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The football Association will be require about double that amount servatory. Will leave here on before they are finished. The March 31 for Anatomica and the Chinese and th That is a burning question at Home just now, for both Chinese authorities, partly to Much of Lloyd George's sucas ordinary citizens and as businessmen large sections of humour the agitators and partly cess is due to his wisdom in the public are feeling the burden of this impost, which, in objectors. The interference with nobody to take his place.—New the work of construction necest the work of construction necest the work of construction necest. sterling. But, as we say, whatever the cause for com- sitated the landing of blue jackets, Privacy, is the one cheapest plaint may be, there is no justification for M.P.'s to seek and the disgruntled ones resorted thing to-day. Put one nickel in to stultify the Premier so long as they remain under his to a boycott, which, with the aid of the telephone-booth slot and leadership. If they have cause for criticism, it is quite though the Chinese merchants New York American.

Tamar' ...15 9 3 3 26 11 21 though to break away and lead a campaign against the Government. Probably the fact of the matter is that the move. Representations were concerning their duty to Russia H'k. Club ...14 6 3 5 18 7 19 many Unionists are tired of the Coalition and the modifica- made by H. M. Minister at Peking, is because she is too rich to Curlew tion of their opinions which subscription to it involves. for some time without avail. To neglect and too big to spank. R.G. A. ....16 8 7 1 24 18 17 And on that point it is fairly safe to say that the general body of public opinion is with them. The Coalition has about had its day; if it were not for the personality of ception of the Diplomatic Corps

Me I loud George it would have expired long one are them. The content of the Diplomatic Corps

Managed Acus.

The King's 14 5 7 2 19 20 12

The following will represent the Observatory and the Royal Associaty, will leave to the Christ contention. Greenville Piedmont.

Kowloon 11 2 5 9 0 14 28 8 on Saturday, 4th. inst., on Club mas Islands to observe the eclipse of the Diplomatic Corps

Me I loud George it would have expired long are the college of the Diplomatic Corps. Ambrose' ... 14 2 10 2 16 23 6 W. Gerrard, J. MacPhail (Capt.) Beach is expected to be clear in the Premier himself no doubt knows his power in this immediately effective, but continues in the British regard; hence the plain intimation he has given to protect the desired friends who aim at discrediting him.

Ambrose' ... 14 2 10 2 16 23 6 W. Gerrard, J. MacPhail (Capt.) Beach is expected to be clear in the British deducted. The points added. The concert of nations will be deducted. The points added. The points added th Mr. Lloyd George, it would have expired long ere this by President Hau. This was not Gold Frick Twins.—Asheville

#### COMMENTS.

The Four-Power Treaty. the composition of The All-BUT IN PASSING OVER HE IS America National Council" which SUPERIOR—FOR IT IS A PRINCE'S is seeking to frustrate the Four- PART TOPARDON.—Francis Bocoa. Power pact, albeit the cable to hand is sufficiently enlightening this aweaping title to themselves. "Hyphenateds;"-Hibernian, Teutonio, or both-it appears, are responsible for this attempt to spending money is attested by a at \$55. full-page advertisement in the Washington Post. There, an element of danger in these Professor Danenberg's pupils' Reserves. - United agitations; they tend to pianoforte recital is postponed Happy Valley. sway the large proportion of the until further notice. public whose opinions are not fixed. Yet after all the discusgeneral should understand the the roof of No. 1 Triangular bearings of the treaty by this time, and there is good reason for believing that these unedifysions at Washington people in metive. Discreditable also were "Tanda." the tactics of the intransiceant

Overseas Trade.

Budget economies at Home is of understand the Committee's pro- formance a new serial. ment of Overseas Trade. True, episodes, will be screened. the Federation of British Indus-It should be understood that this is no case of "In- is being extensively commented

#### DAY

IN TAKING REVENOE, A MAN IS It would be interesting to know DUT . EVEN WITH HIS ENEMY;

Yesterday's bealth as to the individuals who arrogate shows one non-fatal case of paratyphoid fever (Portuguese).

defeat the Washington Con. Astor House has reported the -Kowloon F. C. ground, Happy ference, and that they are theft of two s'eamer rugs valued Valley.

We are asked to state that

A line in the report concerning picture.

adopted in their entirety, it is presents "Wild Youth," in five Mitch in form it will be no easy This has brought up the balance might care to ask. doubtful whether they would parts. This film will continue to matter for them to score. suffice to balance the Estimates. be shown until Tuesday. There But one of them is open to the most is also a two-part comedy entitled serious objection. It is difficult to ["Up the Hill." At the 7.15 perposal to abolish the Depart- Woman in the Well," in fifteen

#### KEEP SMILING.

#### Where to Forget Your

Troubles. strikes and rumours of strikes is them go all the way. A win for To Pay a Bonus of \$1.the stimulating Larry Semon South China will put them at the comedy, "The Stage Hand," now head of the League table, as the and carry forward showing at the Coronet Theatre, Tamar is engaged this week in a happy complement to The New the Shield Competition. York Idea." a witty satire from the Broadway stage. His latest this week and a fast game should certainly Larry Semon's master- Last week Kowloon could not Fund and think it wiser piece. Never once does the field a side owing to the strike so to lay interest flag or the invention fail. it is still doubtful whether they day by building One comical misadventure follows | will be out this week. another so quickly that the de- Should the Police be available The bonus to staff comes lighted audience is kept in a this week, they could pull up about 10, on their salaries and simmer of laughter. Sometimes their back fixture with the King's, I do not think will be grudged by the delicious event is awaited postponed from February 18th. the you. Mr. Klinck has had the with gleeful anticipation, some- Sookunpoo ground being vacant management of the factory in times it happens with ludicrous at 4.30 to-morrow. unexpectedness. Always it is In the Junior Division, the is now retiring after this long and original—that is the secret of the United are at home to Kowloon faithful service. The Company able success. In "The Stage of four University players they what the bonus we now suggest Hand" the droll comedian is did well in the Shield Com- represents, and we cannot too monkey.

#### FLASHES FROM THE STATES.

About all a reasonable pedes-

#### FOOTBALL

To-morrow's Programme. (BY "QUIZ") The matches for to-morrow are as follow :-

SHIELD SEMI-FINAL. Hongkong Club v. H. M. Tamar.-Club ground, 4.30 p.m. LEAGUE: DIVISION I. Kick-off 3 p.m.

South China v. R. G. A .- South China ground. An American resident at the Kowloon v. H. M. S. Ambrose.

LEAGUE: DIVISION II, Kick-off 3.40 p.m.

United A. C. v. Kowloon St. Joseph's v. University.-St.

Joseph's ground. King's Reserves v. South China A Chinese was yesterday "A."—Sookunpoo ground.

Club ground should attract a show a slight improvement as a merited rebuff. It might Mr. Zen Yamamoto, Vice-large gate and a good match regards sales of rope, the demand ing of Humphreys' Estate and perhaps with greater reason be Consul of the Japanese Consulate should be seen. The Club enter for which was very much the Finance Company, Limited, was contended that the treaty does General in Hongkong, has been the semi-final having had the same as in the previous held at the Hongkong Hotel at no: go far enough. The cable transferred to the Japanese Con-luck of the draw and meeting the year, a little better perhaps, but 11.30 o'clock this morning, there attributes the movement to sulate-General at Calcutta, and Carlisle and St. Joseph's in this was offset by the increased being present the Chairman haired of England, and it is will leave here for Calcutta on the earlier rounds. The Tamar's competition of lower grades in (Mr. J. D. Humphreys), Rev. Fr. difficult to discover any-better the 5th. March by the s.s. first opponents in the Competi- the market. As for the coming Robert, and Messrs. W. L. Pattion were the Alacrity who went year exchange seems to be falling tenden and J. M. Alves down by 3 goals to 1, after being and that is a good factor in our (Directors), and the following Republicans, who, in conjunction "In the Wrong," this even- the first to score. The Tamar favour. But our earnings shareholders: - Messrs. M. S. with some Democrats, endeavour- ing's Kowloon Theatre attraction, enters the semi-final through for the year under to Northcote, W. Morley, F. ed to obstruct the Yap treaty, finds Jack Pickford in his winning against the United in the view have been increased M. Ellis, D. E. Clark, and F. W. with the result that the debate element, very much in his replay on Wednesday last after by a large profit on the sale of Stapleton, and the Secretary, Mr. degenerated into a farce." This element, in the leading role. An playing a drawn game on some of our securities. We are G. Kapp. item in the Washington decisions excellent comedy-drams, "In the February 18th. of two goals all. as you know contemplating The notice convening the meethas, however, now been ratified. Wrong" bears the hall mark of The sailors must improve on their utilising a spare portion of the ing having been read, the Chairquality—it is a First National recent form if they expect to win factory site, at present lying idle, man said that it was called to put to-morrow. These teams met on by building Chinese dwelling into effect a certain suggestion put December 3rd, in a League match houses and so increasing our re- forward by Mr. Northcote at the when the sailors won by two goals venue. We estimate that to do last meeting, which suggestion particular interest to British firms A spesitional film. The Right to nil. The Club will probably this we require some \$130,000, the directors had unanimously operating outside the United to Happiness." is now being take the field to-morrow without and to obtain this money we sold approved. It was therefore up to Kingdom. The need of economy screened at the Hongkong J. Rodger, their Captain, who is out half our holding of Green the shareholders either to apis admitted on all hands; and had Theatre. It is an eight-part still limping as the result of an Island Cement Co's shares which prove or reject it. Before putthe recommendations of the picture and contains many injury received four weeks ago: realised \$127,243.70 and left a hand-ting the resolutions to the Geddes Committee, which appear emotional and thrilling moments. The Club forwards will find the some profit which has gone to the meeting, he would be glad to fall short of expectation, been To-morrow J. Stuart Blackton sailors backs very weak, yet with credit of Profit and Loss Account. to answer any questions they

> South China ground to-morrow brought forward and less \$50,000. submitted:but there is a rumour that owing for interim Dividend leaves to strike duty the Military team \$205,271.37 for division. We re- Company's Articles of Associa-Should the game be played, a be allocated as follows:draw would not come as a surprise. To Place to Reserve |South China won the last game between these teams on the Soo- To Equalisation of kunpoo ground by 3 goals to nil. South China will start favourites To Bonus to Staff ... \$ 4.084 63 to-morrow, but they will find that To Bonus to Mr. C. the soldiers have greatly improv- Klinck on retirement \$ 15,000.00 led since their last meeting and To Pay a Final Divi-Like a tonic in these days of that the Military team will make | dendof \$1.-per Share \$ 60,000.00

> > Kowloon receive the Ambrose

Larry Semon comedy's invari- Reserves. With the assistance owes him much, much more than mischievous petition and were unlucky to lose strongly recommend this recogafter baving the better of the nition of his work and the congame for fifty minutes in the scientious attention he has always methods.

University winning.

HONGKONG LEAGUE.

to date is as follows:- and 21st. December last have sent to observe the eclipse.

#### COMPANY MEETINGS.

now propose that the Report

and Accounts as presented be adopted and passed and that the

profits be divided as proposed and

after that has been seconded I

shall be pleased to answer

Seconded by Mr. P. A. Cox, the

It was proposed by Mr. M. S.

Northcote and seconded by Mr.

H. A. Taylor, that Hon, Mr. A. O.

Lang and Messrs, P. A. Cox and

H. P. White be re-elected to the

Consulting Committee. Carried.

A. A. Cordeiro seconded the re-

and Davis and Mr. H. Percy

Smith as Auditors. The motion

This concluded the business.

The Chairman thanked the share-

holders for their attendance and

announced that dividend war-

rants were now ready and could

Humphreys' Estate and

Finance Co.

An extraordinary general meet-

1. That Article 105 of this

(a) By the insertion of "\$10,-

(b) By striking out in the

ninth and tenth lines thereof

the words "for each financial

such profits shall not exceed in

the aggregate the sum of \$150,-

000, and a commission of ten

per cent. per annum on all the

000" in the place of "\$8,000" in

the fifth line thereof.

was carried unanimously.

Le obtained on application.

Mr. F. Ellis proposed and Mr.

questions from shareholders.

motion was carried.

#### Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co. Ltd:

The thirty-eighth ordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Ltd., was convened at the offices of the General Managers (Messra Shewan Tomes and Ca) St. George's Building at

o'clock this morning. Mr. Robert Shewan presided and there were present the members of the Consulting Committee (Hon. Mr A. O. Lang, Messra. H. P. White appointment of Messra Linstead and P. A. Cox) and the following shareholders:-Messrs, W. Adamson, M. S. Northcote, F. Ellis, H H. Taylor, J. Toppin, Poon I-cha. A. A. Cordeiro, W. J. Cordeiro and the Secretary, Mr. F. J. Tavares.

The Secretary having read the notice convening the meeting the

at credit of Profit and Loss to There being no question, the The R. G. A. are due to visit to \$255,321.44 which plus \$9.949.93 following resolutions were then

will be unable to field a side. commend that this amount should tion be altered as follows:-...\$ 5,000.00 Fund ... Divident Account ... \$ 50,000.00

year of the C mpany" and inserting in place, thereof the words "in every year wherein

per Share ... ...\$ 11,185 74

net profits of the Company in excess of that sum." \$205,271.37 2. That the above Resolution? (No. 1) to be retrospective and

As I said last year we do take effect from the 1st. day of comedy, "The Stage Hand," is end in a win for the home team, not need a large Reserve January 1922. Mr. M. S. Northcote seconded the adoption of these resolutions. and the shareholders unanimous-Equalisation of Dividend Account. ly concurred. It was announced that a further extraordinary meeting would be held on the 20th. day of March to confirm the resolutions passed at this meeting. his hands for some 35 years and

#### THE EINSTEIN THEORY.

#### An Astronomical Test.

Berkeley, U.S., Feb. 2. Astronomical observations to replay on Wednesday last. The devoted to your interests. You test the validity of the Einstein Tamar won by their forceful will notice that we have theory of relativity are to be un-\$250,000.00 on fixed deposit dertaken by an expedition which "A good game should be seen on besides our working capital and the University of California here St. Joseph's ground with the some shareholders may therefore is to send to Australia during the feel that we might have paid a total eclipse of the sun on Sep-

the league. South China "B" ing the transfer to Equalisation will make the trip. Dr. W. W.

passed and confirmed at Ex. 18. This, it is believed, will be The Division I League table traordinary Meetings held on 5th. the only American expedition

Goals. now been approved by the Court | The path of the eclipse will exso we shall proceed at once with tend from Abyssinia over the the settlement of tenders for the Maldive Peninsula, Christmas Club. P.W.L.D. construction of the Chinese Islands and over Northwestern. 'Tamar' ... 15 9 3 3 26 11 21 houses I have slready referred to. Australia, along "Ninety Mile ...13 8 1 4 17 6 20 ... Beach." The California expedition will be located on the beach. Teams.

A British expedition, representing the Royal Society, the Royal

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(Continued from page 1.)

Paris, March 1 The papers are commenting with the utmost satisfaction on the fact that the Leons Railway Company's bonds issue on the London market was covered ten times over as heralding a lasting recovery of French exchange and a great stride towards restoring normal business conditions. British financiers and investors realizing the unexcelled soundness of French credit, notwithstanding occasional jolts in recovering the balance upset by the war .- Havas.

#### FRENCH AERIAL SERVICE.

#### Growing Popularity.

Paris, March 1. The French aerial navigation system is increasing steadily in scops and popularity. Over ten thousand passengers have availed themselves of the French aerial lines in 1921 against 1,700 in 1920.-

#### SHAH OF PERSIA'S STAY ON THE RIVIERA.

Paris, March 1. The Persian Shah has settled down on the French Riviera for a sojourn of considerable duration.--Haras.

#### AFGHAN MISSION IN PARIS.

Paris, March 1. The Afghan Mission has arrived in Paris.—Haras.

#### THE REPARATION QUESTION.

London, March 2. Sir Robert Horne, accompanied by experts, is to journey to Paris on the 8th. inst. to discuss reparations with the French Minister of Finance.

#### FRENCH DEMAND ON GREECE.

London, March 2. The French Minister at Athens has informed M. Gounaris that France insists on the immediate restoration of the Espoir's cargo.

#### AFRICAN STRIKE ENDING.

Johannesburg, March 2. The Reef is much quieter. The number of strikers who have resumed is largely increased.

#### PEAK HOSPITAL TO-CLOSE

Not Paying Its Way. The Peak Hospital is being run at a loss and the shareholders have decided to close down on Sopt. 30th.

The Hospital was founded by Drs. Hartigan, Stedman and Rennie in 1900 and these gentlemen, who own the bulk of the shares, wish to withdraw their capital. Drs. Marriott and Harston hold a number of shares in the Hospital, but they do not wish to increase their financial interest. The remaining shares are held by the Custodian of Enemy Property (on behalf of Drs. Muller and Justi), the Banque

de l'Indo-Chine and the Mission d'Etrangers. The reason for closing down is that the expenses of keeping the building in repair are so great that it is quite impossible to carry on without financial loss. The building is quite inadequate for the purposes of a modern nursing home and in the opinion of the architects to render the building adequate for such a purpose and

to put it in a thorough state of repair, rebuilding would be necessary. Some time ago plans for a fine modern building in the shape of a Maltese Cross were drawn up merce, with a view to rebuilding, but no support was I given to the scheme. Under

the present scale of fees, which

cannot be increased, the Hospital []

is only just able to pay expenses, I

and this year the expenditure has exceeded the income. There are various Government schemes for increasing the hospital accommodation in the Colony which will serve the interests of private practitioners, but such schemes will probably not mature for at least two or three years, and during the interval it will be difficult to find I accommodation for the class of

patients at present admitted to the Peak Hospital. Although the Peak Hospital has only sixteen beds available for patients, there is no doubt that if the institution does close its doors many people will be greatly inconvenienced. All the beds have been occupied since Christmas and, on an average, some three friend of the former Premier. hundred patients are treated every General Tuan Chi-jui, who does year. During the time the not wish to have his name Hospital has been open it is mentioned, for the following estimated that between six and version of the ex-Premier's escape

inspect the building every six Daily News. months, that the structure has The reason why General Tuan holders the following resolution at the memorial service of the

was passed :-"That it is not advisable in the was a vory close friend of his. interests of the Company or of General Tuan, since his downthe shareholders that the Peak fall, had been studying Buddhism, Hospital be continued and there- and on the day of his escape, fore the same be closed on and which was Yen Shao Chieh from the 30th. day of September (Feast of Lanterns), a number of next. That such steps as may be monks came to his home. When deemed advisable shall be taken these monks left at 8 o'clock in the for the purpose of disposing of the evening, an extra monk following the Peak Hospital."

formed of the shareholders' inten- doors. This was General Tuan. tion to close the institution and in the matter has not yet been third-class railway carriage.

#### TEETHING WITHOUT TEARS.

A NEW LIGHT ON BABY-REARING It is a recognized fact that babies-and in fact all children -need medicines of their own, and that most baby-medicines do more barm in the long run than good. Also great mistakes are often made in measuring doses prevent the former Premier for tiny patients. Rahv's Own from going to Tientsin. However, for tiny patients. Baby's Own Tablets, the Canadian medicine for children of all ages, meet every difficulty. They are guaranteed to be absolutely harmless had arrived at Tientsin. Deand free form opiates. They are so soft that they fall into powder Civil Governor, but no trace of she underwent her trials, with at very slight pressure, forming an ideal dose for Infants.

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Further Notice Owing To the Strike.

#### GEN. TUAN CHIJUI'S ESCAPE.

Disguised as a Monk. We are indebted to an inti nate

seven thousand patients have from Peking, where he has been passed through the institution. virtually a prisoner since the The building is in a bad state | defeat of the Anfu party of which | of repair and it is only by careful he was the leader, by General Wu supervision by the architects, who Pei-fu last year states the N.C.

been rendered safe during the had refused to receive visitors typhoon season. As far as the since the arrival in Peking of staff and the general running Marshals Chang Tso-lin and Tsao arrangements of the Hospital Kuan was because he did not are concerned, it is a splendid wish to be involved in the politivaluable institution, but cal struggle. Another reason it is not a success financially was because he had become deaf, and at a recent meeting of share- as the result of excessive weeping

late General Ching Kuei-ti, who furniture and effects contained in their leader was not noticed by the police guards who had been

The Government has been in- stationed at the former Premier's its guests on the voyage. Leaving his home, General have the matter under considera. Tuan, who had shaved off his tion, but what is going to be done moustache, left for Tientsin in a

> FRUITLESS SEARCH IN TIENTSIN. No intimation of his departure was received by the Metropolitan Police until 10.30 p.m., when the Chief of the Police Bureau, General Wang Huai-ching, learned of the matter personally and made inquiries. Telephone messages were sent to the Civil Governor of Chibli. General Tsao Jui, asking him it was too late for the Civil Governor did not receive the message until 11 o'clock, after the train

Tuen was to be found. A report was handed the Chief officer and the chief engineer on of Police the following day that board. General Tuan had left his home, The Homeric is 775 feet long accompanied by his son. Tuan 83 feet broad, and has a displaceservant, but had not returned.

the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., motor-car, or that he lett for Bankers' Conference.

#### BIGGEST SHIP IN THE WORLD.

Wonders Of White Star Liner Homeric.

Part of the price Germany is paying for her lost war, the giant liner Homeric has reached Southampton after very satisfactory sea She now belongs to the White

Star Line, which acquired her I from the Reparations Committee. 4 Homeric is the largest twinscrew steamer in the world, her tonnage being 35,000. She is to I

sail for New York on her maiden I Accommodation in this huge [] Vessel is provided for ....

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Passengers :—	
1s: class	530
2nd class	500
3rd class	1.750
Crew	720
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	100

Total 3,500 The Homeric has had a most

curious history. She was launched in December 1913, and towards the end of July 1914 she lay at Dantzig under steam, ready for her maiden voyage. It was to be a sort of trial run, before the ship was placed on the Atlantic service. Many notables had been invited by the North German Lloyd to be

They were on board, as were the passengers; the cargo had been shipped; good-byes had been said.

JULY 1914, AND CONSTERNATION. Then a telegram came for the captain.

There was half an hour of consternation; the guests and passengers disembarked, and the great ship turned and entered dock again. The cargo was put ashore, and the fires were damped down. It was the eve of the Great War.

The ship entered dock again bound fast with great steel ropes till a few weeks ago. After eight years her fires were lighted once more and she started on her maiden voyage -to England.

She came via Hamburg, where the English captain, the first

ment of 42,000 tons.

had been prepared by the Minis-It is also reported that General try of Communications for the Tuan escaped from Peking in a Peking delegates, who were going motor-car, or that he left for to Tientsin to attend the Chinese

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Birdseye view of the interior of the Knickerbocker Theatre, Washington, after the collapse of the theatre roof which killed 114 and injured more than 250.



Searching the wrickage of the Knickerbocker Theatre, for dead and injured after the roof of the fashionable motion picture house collapsed. Firemen, soldiers and citizen volunteers are shown at work. Note the massive steel girders which supported the roof and the great blocks of contrete that fell when the girders gave way under the weight of snow.



Groups of soldiers removing two of the victims from the Knickerbacker theatre. Notice the depth of the snow which is thought to have been responsible for the collapse of the theatre roof.



Mr. Lloyd George is here seen cutting a cake sent to him by the Lloyd George Society of Seattle. His daughter, Mrs. Carey Evans, holds the plate for him as he "plunges in for the first slice of it at No. 10 Downing Street.

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#### "OLD BILL" DOWN ON HIS LUCK.

#### 2.000-Mile Tramp.

"Old Bill," the original in Beiersfather's "Better 'Ole," and other famous war sketches, is down on his buck.

After tramping 2,000 miles across to France, earning a living line. by selling picture postcards of himself and his history, he paraphernalia into Free: bit of a character." Street.

rartially in khaki, and a woolly ance to those in the Bairnsfather vest, with a tall hat emblazmeri caricatures. with postcards, he had slurg near his back a hig square of \*ardboard inscribed in block let-1-19:-

#### " AFTER YEARS OF HEM!" DISABLED AND EUINED FOR LIFE."

Similar notices hung from the Firles of his roadworn "pram," in which was a gramophone, a tin helmet and other war relics. Tucked compactly underneath was the sleeping kit, in which, when tramping between town, he enfolds himself at night.

REGIMENTAL BARBER. Born and educated in Bristol,

Albert Edward Fricker, to give his real name, was for many years in the mercantile marine. He was accepted in London in December of 1914 for the Royal

Found cutting a comrade's hair át a camp near Aldershot, he was forthwith appointed regimental barber, and was dubbed "Old Bill the Barber."

Field Artillery.

He arrived on the Western never be as fit as I was before the Front in time for the first Battle war. of Loos.

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"I need to clip my pals' hair in the open, and one day I was threatened with seven days' punishment for displaying a poster showing the shaggy heads of the! men before and their hald heads!

#### after I had done with them. EMENSFATHER'S MODEL.

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"I suppose he his on me for his trundled his perarebulator and skits because at that time I was a

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> " After those 35 days and nights | wounded near Mametz Wood. and on coming home was recom-"mended for discharge, but was! sent off to the Balkans, where I was frozen in the saddle of a transport mule, and after being in hospital, returned to England land was discharged."

"I was given a disablement! pension, and went to work at sender's risk. Woolwich Arsenal, staying there

"Last Easter I was re-examined by a Medical Board, and recommended for treatment in a neurological institute.

"Upon seeing the place at Epsom, I decided that I should be driven mad there by the surroundings, and that I had better accept that advice of the family doctor, and try Nature's cure by living an open-air life.

"This treatment has benefited me wonderfully, though I shall

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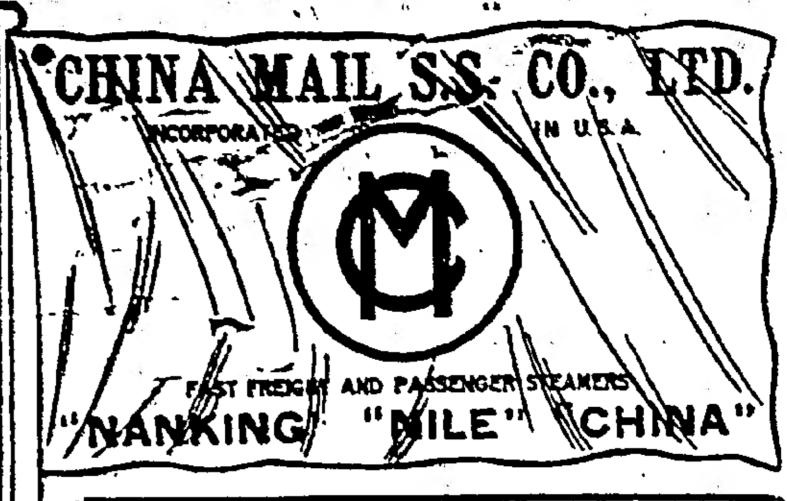
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#### COMMERCIAL NEWS.

WANILA" MARKETS. Messie, Warner, Barnes & Co., Ltd., Manila in their latest circular to hand state: Our hemp market, which opened quite steady, gradually quietened down throughout the fortnight, all buyers being nervous on account of heavy receipts .- The sugar market locally advanced during the fortnight, in sympathy with higher prices ruling in New York and Java. A fair quantity of centrifugals changed hands on the basis of P.9.50 to P.10.00 per picul f. o. b. The recent unfavourable news from New York, has had a quietening effect, however, and buyers have reduced their prices. Moderate transactions have recently taken place. The weather has been very unfavourable for grinding operations for superior sugar Nos. 1 to 5 grades, and and arrivals of this class of sugar continue to be extremely light. The copra market has ruled quiet throughout the formight, dealers resisting the decline, and being reluctant sellers at prices offered by mills and exporters.—The coal market is unchanged. The rice market has ruled weak during the past fortnight and prices have declined owing to arrivals being in excess of requirements. At the close, there is a slightly better tone in the market, but we do not anticipate that the improvement will be maintained.

LAWS AFFECTING INTER-

NATIONAL TRADE. The standardisation by leading countries of laws and regulations regarding export trade has often been urged in these page, and it is satisfactory to note that the United States Dept. of Commerce is taking the matter up. From this department Mr. A. J. Wolfe, Chief of the Division of Commercial Laws, writes that the lack of uniformity in the laws of the various countries which appear as factors in the international exchange of goods is felt as a serious drawback by merchants and jurists everywhere. Standardisation is naturally a work of slow growth; it is the inevitable effect of evolution in international merchandising. The time may never be reached, of course, when all countries will adopt commercial codes of substantially identical tenor. Local conditions, the weight of tradition, and radical divergence in the development of jurisprudence preclude this. But there is no reason apparent why international agreement should not establish a certain amount of uniformity in the treatment of various instruments of foreign commerce, such as bills of lading, in regulating bankruptcy practice, in arbitrating commercial disputes, in affording recognition to foreign judgments, in settling the difficult ... problem of double taxation, in standardising patent, t ade-mark, and copyright laws, and in regulating the status of alien corporations. A limited degree of anch standardisation has been attained by certain groups of countries, and the tendency is toward further progress along these lines .- China Express and Telegraph.

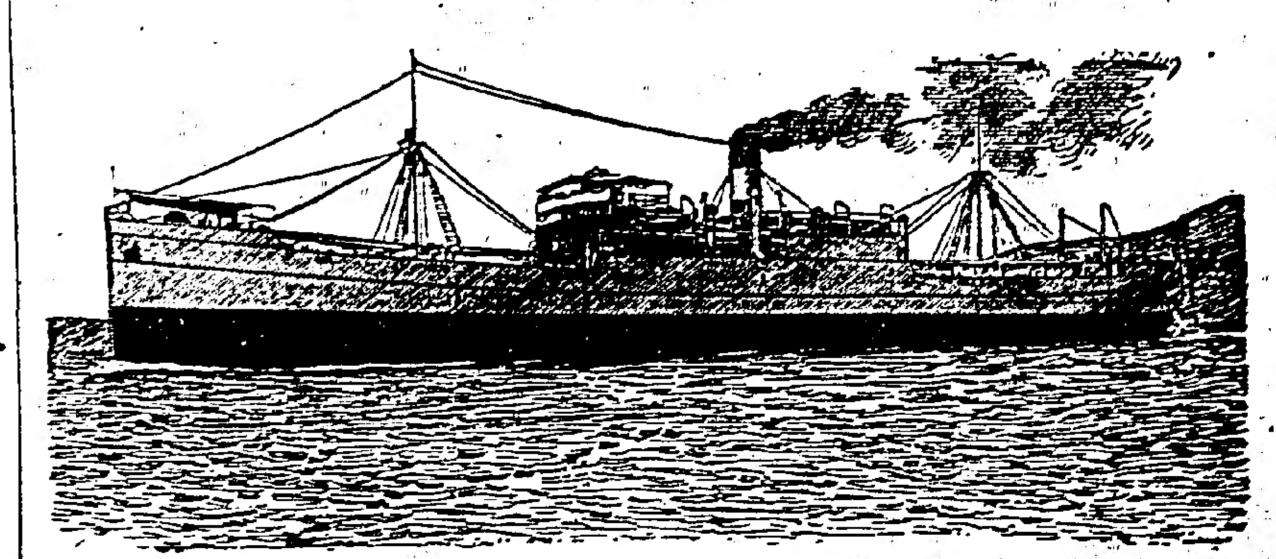
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Tis. 582,797,09 SHIPBUILDING AT HOME. The London correspondent of Shipping and Engineering writes: Shipbuilding is very slack in the yards of the United Kingdom, and interest during the Dist week has been centred in the year's returns. These were launched on the Clyde during the year 238 vessels of 511,000 fons. and 478,500 indicated horse-power; as compared with 330 vessels of 672,438 tons and 620,616 indicated horse-power last year. There were, therefore, 92 fewer vessels and a decrease of over 161,000 tons and 142,000 horse-power. Serious as this falling off in trade is, a comparison with 1913, which was the Cly e's record year in tonnage output, shows even better how far below its best the river has been working. In that year 370 vessels of 756,976 tons were launched, which exceeds this output on the river is that of Messrs, William Beardmore & Co., Dalmuir, who launched seven vessels of 60,179 tons and 17,716 indicated horse-power, while Messrs. Barclay, Curle & Co... Whiteinch, are second with a sixtheresels of 52.648 and 60, 132 http. Owing to the poor demand for cargo stoomers, Mesers Lithgow's. Ltd., who headed the Clyde list for many years, see tourth this year, being exceeded! by three liner firms, the two mentioned and also Messre, John Brown & Co, Clydebank, who launched three vessels of 44 920 ons and 4 ,090 i.b.p. The largest nine ocean-going motorships, for which machinery was or is being constructed on the Clyde, In marine engineering, Messre. Beardmore also take first place, their output being 52, 135 indicatod horse-power, while Messre. Kincaid & Co., of Greenock, are second and Messra. Denny Bros.

USING THE LEAGUE After consiguering Lord Grey's declaration of policy at Bristol, the Committee of the League of Nations Union passed the following solutions: (a) In view of the Proposal of the Supreme Council to summon an Economic Conference in Geneva, this Committee wishes to express its convinced opinion that it is for the Council of the League of Nations to cenvene and arrange for the holding of any such Conference. (b) That the future peace of Europe and the safety of France would be better secured by main

of Dumbarion, third. Nor one

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river during the year. 🥕

#### THE BOOKSHELF. (By "Librarian."

#### THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

After reading Michelet, Carlyle, Lord Morley, or Mr. Belloc on the French Revolution, there is still plenty to interest in the works of the memoirists, especially such a one as the Marquise de la Tour, who met many of the leading personalities. The major historians, in fact, whet the appetite for the personal details which the memoirists fill in The Marquise' "Recollections of the Revolution

and the Empire" have had to wa some years for a translator. One has now been found in Mr. Walter Geer, and the volume is published by Messrs. Cape & Co., London,

The work is infused with such gallant spirit and power of description that it is surprising should have had to wait so long: it has not only the fascination of a story packed with interest and vicissitude, but an instinctive and unconscious art which makes life under the ancien regime unroll before the mind's eye in all its natural carriage and motion Only the surface of that life, it is true, for the Marquise was no subsequent environments:politician or philosopher (save in that sense which transmutes philosophy into courage and actions, and it is only as events affected herself and her friends! that they invite her judgment. But for that very reason her narrative brings us nearer to the time, because it puts us at the standpoint of those who so little! realised its pregnancies.

The Marquise was a girl of member of a family with plentiful Directory, the expulsion were daily violated," and whose entertained Louis XVIII. reverend head could not keep out Amiens on his progress of debt upon an income of £16. Paris: renewed a childhood's States-General. King himself badly and waddled." for them. has repeated comment the worst of their successive abroad, the Marquise died

assisted him to entertain the herself dull company. members of the Assembly in rotation, including "Monsieur Lausanne brough a glimpse of "a Club. celebrated person - Gibbon whose grotesque face gave me such a desire to laugh that it was making book by M. Poincare, attained." difficult'so control myself."

nouncement on public affairs, the for publication by the house of heads of the various departments writer is 'persuaded that if war Cassell. Designed principally in the Castle were introduced to had not been declared, if the to show the developments of the members of the Provisional emigres had returned, as the King European politics from 1871 to Government. seemed to desire, the excesses of 1914, and particularly the The latter then left, their stay the Revolution would have been deliberate march of Germany to having lasted 55 minutes, and Canton sub coins averted." Travelling from The the goal of world domination, drove through the dense, cheering Hongkong March 3, 1922. Hague (where her husband was which led to the great conflagra- crowds back to the Mansion Minister) to Paris,

vention had had manufactured France. in haste for the soldiers caps of cloth of the most varied colours, for which they had reall the shops of Paris and the large cities.

Paris, listened for the sound Kingdom. Of these 143 are from Minister to Cuba and Panama, of musketry which would China, 1,240 from India, Burma will take charge of the Legation bring to us the hope that and Ceylon, and 73 from Japan. In Washington. COLUMN TORRESTE

so great a crime would not be committed without opposition. In a state of super we each other. Alas, the greatest silence continued to reign in the regicidal city. At half-past tan the gates were opened, and every. Sealadach man-Eireann received thing resumed its ordinary the surrender of Dublin Castle at

Then came an experience of the hands of the Irish nation." ortured life of "suspects," with Such are the terms of the official given a glowing miniature-surrender, and they are detera new career as farmers near ridiculous as well as insolent, Albany. The Marquise seems to Dublin Castle which has stood

at the farm, well or ill, the sun Irishmen, who up to about six never found me in my hed. She months ago were rebels against was surprised by the voice of that authority, but now as the Talleyrand (also in temporary Fravisional Government of the exile) behind her, "in the yard Irish Free State, which is to fulfil with a hatchet in my hand, the new-found spirit of amity, in occupied with cutting the bone of association with the Commona leg of multon." She was to wealth of Nations known as the meet the ex-Bishop in a variety of British Empire.

He possessed a charm which I have never found in any other man. It was all very thing with which he was reproached; nevertheless, he attracted you as a bird fascinated by the eye of the

serpent. Two years in America, then minetoen when the Bastille fell- back to the France of the Lord-Lientenant, Lord Fitzalan, English and Irish connections. Fructi for, with England this of the Provisional Government's and reaping admiration for "l'air time for refuge. Here there anglais," which, as she tells us, were kind relatives to mitigate uid not ase to be fashionable financial troubles, not to speak of car, accompanied by Major Holt, until wer, into the Consulate, the Archb.shop of childhood's the Comptroller of the Viceroy's Her surroundings had all the days, shorn of his opulence, but Household. debonair cynicism of an exhaust- providing meals, nevertheless, for and society. From the age of "six old Bishops from Langten I was present when the con- uedoc." With the fall of the Chamber, and in this stately room versation was most free, and Directory France is open once heard expressed the most un more, and wanderers argodly principles. I was brought soon in the Imperial "swim." up in the house of an archbishop. The Marquise played whis: James Macmahon and Sir John where all the rules of religion with Marie Louise at Lacken: Anderson, Under Secretaries at

000 a year. A Dame du Palois to acquaintance with Wellington in Marie Antoinette, she boasts of 1814; and in the last chapter that being the only women who she penned tells of her flight to declined to serve Josephine Brussels on the landing from Dublin Castle:in the same capacity. She Elba, and of seeing the Royalist Union Castio. In the Council Chamber at watched the first meeting of Minister of Finance with a hunnoting dred anchovy barrels filled with "held gold and unable to get transport

There were later trobles arising the tactlessness with out of the Revolution of 1830. which both Sovereigns made and passing most of her later life crises. The Queen, in particular. Pisa in 1853, a ripe octogenarian, piled up unpopularity by her With a memory thus stored and a Treaty, on which the acceptance When her father-in-law became fortune's varraries, it is hard to Minister of War, the Marquise think that she can ever have found

Rob-spierre, in an applegreen One of the most important mostume, with a mass of white books of the spring will be Esir which was well-dressed." Mount Everes: The Recon-Madame de Stael was much on naissance. 1721, by Lieut. that they were now duly installed the scene, though cultivated but Colonel Howard-Bury, D.S.O. as the Provisional Government. gingerly by fastidious connois- and other members of the expedi- and that, in conformity with sents of humanity. "Never tion, which Messrs. Edward Article 17 of the Treaty, he theless, it would be wrong to Arnold will publish. This work would at once communicate with think that I considered her a will contain the results of the the British Government in order really licentious person; in spite reconnaissance and an outline of that the necessary steps might of everything she always exacted the preparations made for the be taken for the transfer to the a certain delicacy of sentiment," actual attempt on the summit Provisional Government of the which did not, however, in later this season. A great feature of powers and machinery requisite days, restrain her from dressing the volutes will be the magnificent for the discharge of its duties. her fifty years "like a tight-rope spries of photographs which are da cer." A health holiday a now being exhibited at the Alpine in the task that they had under-

the new Prime Minister of the After the ceremony in the Diverging for once into a pro- French Republic, is announced Privy Council Chamber, the tion of 1914-1918, M. Poincare House. we passed through the entire takes us behind the scenes of An official at Dublin Castle, in French Army. . . . The every Chancellery of Europe, answer to Press inquiries, said conquerors, who had already shows us the wires and the wire- the actual act of transfer of caused the armies of Austria pullers; how crises are created machinery and powers at the and Prussia to tremble, had all and verted-or brought to Castle would be the issue of an the appearance of a horde of terrible fulfilment. It is an in- Order in Council, which, it might bandits. The greater part were dictment of German policy, and be taken, would follow im-

quisitioned the material from OVERSEAS STUDENTS AT BRITISH

UNIVERSITIES. The Universities Bureau of the On the morning of the King's British Empire it its list shows Minister to Washington, will a cution the Marquise and hus- that there are 4,470 overseas stu- leave America on his return home land, leaning out of the window dents in the universities and uni- on March 6. During his leave, Lowest open air of our house, which overlooked versity colleges of the United Dr. Philip K. C. Tyau, Chinese

#### DUBLIN CASTLE.

#### hardly dared to address a word to Strange Announcement of Its "Surrender."

"The members of Rialtas 145 to-day. It is now in the

her husband concealed for three announcement issued last month months in a "horrible hole" of a by the new Provisional Governlock-smith's closet. But Madame | ment of Southern Ireland. They Tallien-of whose beauty we are have, in fact, received a complete proved a friend, and the next mined to rub it in, though even chapter opens with a sixty days' in such an exultant hour (remarks) voyage to Boston and the starting the London Morning Post) they of the ex-Minister and his wife on cannot forbear from being

have tackled her new metier with as the fortress of British rule in pluck and good humour, and got the island for seven centuries, was gool price for her cider entered by Mr. Michael Collins During all the time that I lived and seven other typical Southern

The new Ministers drove up in three motor cars. The first included Mr. Michael Collins, and was haited with frantic cheers well to be armed at all point; from the waiting crowds, many against his immorality, his of whom burst their way into the conduct, his life, against every. | yard, and ran after the cars up the hill into the upper yard. Their chase was so hot that some! of the people were in time to see the eight Ministers step out and enter the Castle, led by Mr. Collins.

impending visit arrived from the

The Lord-Lieutenant at once r-ceived Mr. Michael Collins and his seven colleagues. There were at the Castle, and Mr A. W. Cope. to CB. Assistant Under-Secretary.

LORD-LIEUTENANT'S HOPE. The proceedings were private. and the following official account thereof was afterwards issued by

Dublin Castle this afternoon his Excellency the Lord-Lieutenant received Mr. Michael Collins, as the Head of the Provisional Government provided for in Article 17 of the Treaty of 6:b. December.

"Mr. Collins handed to ste of its provisions by himself and his colleagues had been endorsed. and other members of Provisional Government were theal

introduced. "The Lord-Lientenant congratulated Mr. Collins and his colleagues, and informed them He wished them every success! taken, and expressed the earnest hope that under their auspices the ideal of a happy, free, and What promises to be an epoch- prosperous Ireland would be

without uniforms. The Con- the presentation of the case for mediatly upon the Lord Lieutenant's communicating with the Barometer ..... 29.97 29.91 2:81 British Government.

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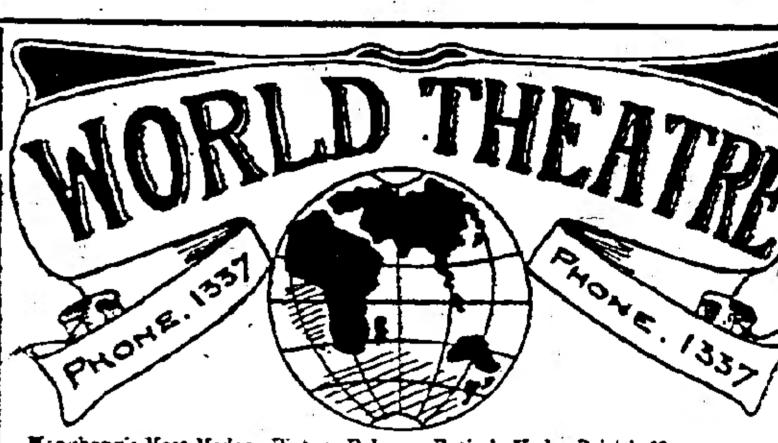
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of Weibaiwei.

Fog may be expected along the S. coast of China.

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T. F. CLAXION, Director.

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